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Moody Wilson $1, Edward Boggs $1.25, William Boggs 60c, Mable Boggs $1.25, Mrs. Susie Walker $1.50, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walker $1, Bobby Walker 60c, Dorsey Sharp 55c, Miss Bernice Walker $1, Hazel McChesney 10c, Harold Sharp 50c, Clarence Wheeler $1.50, Rice Graves 25c, Virginia McChesney 25c, George Walker 25c, Mrs. Willie Ann Boggs 50c, Mrs. Mary Wheeler 25c, Mr. and Mrs. Roxie McDowell $1, Leal Truss $1, Mrs. Louise Wilson 50c, Paul Boggs $1, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Walker $1, Clyde McDowell 50c, W. S. C. S. $5, Miss Mary Boggs 50c, Miss Clara Boggs 50c, William Boggs 50c, Mrs. Sallie McChesney $1, James Walker $1, Lack Boggs 20c, Hubberd Wheeler $2, Harry Walker $1.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Townsend $1, Ellet Gragg 50c, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Gibson $2, Mrs. Dorothy S. Nass $1, Mrs. Austin Sharp $1, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hively $1, Mrs. Albert Bussard 50c, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Sharp and Family $1, Mrs. Ledford Shrader 50c, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Sharp $1, Mr. and Mrs. John Rider $2, Mrs. L. N. Hudson $1, Mrs. H. H. Sheets $1, Mary Jean Moore 50c, Mrs. Marion Bussard $1, Charlie Fertig $1, Mrs. Sam Gilmer $1, Edna Lee Gibson $2, Mrs. Amos Kelley $1, Guy Kelley $1, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Chestnut $1, Pat Howdyshell $1, Mr. and Mrs. George Sharp $2, Joan Sharp $1, Roy Bambrick $1, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sharp $1, Emmons F. Moore $1, Sam S. Gibson $1, Glenna Gibson $1, Mrs. Nora N. Turner $1, Richard A. Gibson $1, Richard A. Gibson, Jr., $1, Mr. and Mrs. Meade Curry $1, Joseph Hoover $1, Roy VanReenen 50c, Eleanor Sue VanReenen 25c, Eddie Drew VanReenen 25c, Mrs. Glen Hefner 50c, Mrs. Geo. T. Geiger $1, J. P. Duncan $5, Mr. and Mrs. Arnot McNeil $2, W. L. Rice $1, John Galford 25c.

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## O.P.A. CEILING PRICES—TURKEYS

FOR GREENBRIER, POCAHONTAS AND NICHOLAS COUNTIES

Wholesale Prices (Including Farmers) to Retailers

| | Live | Dressed |
|---|---|---|
| **YOUNG TURKEYS** | | |
| Under 18 lb | 37.3 cents lb | 45.3 cents lb |
| 18 lb to 22 lb | 35.8 cents lb | 43.3 cents lb |
| Over 22 lb | 34.8 cents lb | 41.8 cents lb |
| **OLD TURKEYS** | | |
| Under 18 lb | 35.3 cents lb | 43.3 cents lb |
| 18 lb to 22 lb | 33.8 cents lb | 41.3 cents lb |
| Over 22 lb | 32.8 cents lb | 39.8 cents lb |

**RETAIL PRICES**

**Farmers:—Multiply the above prices by 1.17 cents.**

**Merchants:—Use the percentage mark-up prescribed in regulations Nos. 422 and 423. Group 1 and 2 Stores use Regulation No. No. 423. Group 3 and 4 Stores use Regulation No. 422.**

**Any person who transports live poultry more than 30 miles to any city, town or village where such poultry is destined for ultimate consumption, may add the following prices:**

| | No increase |
|---|---|
| Less than 30 miles | ¾ cent per lb |
| 30 to 50 miles | 1 cent per lb |
| 50 to 100 miles | 1¼ cents per lb |
| 100 to 150 miles | 1½ cents per lb |
| 150 to 200 miles | 1¾ cents per lb |
| 200 to 250 miles | 2 cents per lb |
| 250 to 300 miles | 2 cents per lb |
| 300 miles and over | |

**For Any Further Information Please Write or Consult the Price Clerk of Your Local War Price and Rationing Board**

## Sale of Lands Delinquent for Taxes

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land or undivided interests therein in the County of Pocahontas, which are delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes for the year 1942, will be offered for sale by the undersigned sheriff (or collector) at public auction at the front door of the courthouse of the county, between the hours of ten in the morning and four in the afternoon on the 13th day of December, 1943.

Each unredeemed tract or lot, or each unredeemed part thereof or undivided interest therein, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold for the amount due thereon, as set forth in the following table:

| Name of Person Charged With Taxes | Quantity of Land | Local Description | Total amount of taxes, interest and charges due to date of sale |
|---|---|---|---|
| **EDRAY DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 22a. | Stony Creek Mt. | $ 3.87 |
| Barlow, Joseph Est. | 57a. | Red Lick Mt. | 4.58 |
| Bennett, Stella | 20po. | Old Field Fork Elk | 4.00 |
| Davis, Winfield | 2a. | Brush Lick | 3.65 |
| Ervine, Mary Blanche | 10a. | E. Clover Lick | 5.08 |
| Same | 2a. | E. Clover Lick | 3.87 |
| Hannah, Hubert M. | 119a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 6.36 |
| Hill, Mattie E. | 10a. | Brush Lick Run | 4.16 |
| Irvine, Ella M. | 80po. | Brush Lick Run | 3.57 |
| Knight, Israel Est. | 9a. | Brush Lick Run | 4.22 |
| Lacy, Ben Est. | 4a. | Brush Lick Run | 3.72 |
| McDowell, Fenton | 5a. | Indian Draft | 4.58 |
| McDowell, Harry Est. | 101a. | Indian Draft | 7.06 |
| Ray, Samuel Est. | 31a. | Clover Lick | 5.30 |
| Townsend, Nancy (Mrs. J. S.) | 600 sq. ft. | Drennen Ridge | 4.66 |
| Varner, Harry C. | 182a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 24.14 |
| Wagoner, Mrs. Alice | 3a. | Buckeye | 5.30 |
| **MARLINTON SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Alexander, John | | Lot 3, B. 10—15, 16, 17 | 18.22 |
| Alexander, Millicent | | Lot 4, B. 10—4, 5, 6, 7 | 19.17 |
| Hill, Mattie Est. | | Lot 1, W. Gbr. River | 9.38 |
| Merchants & Mechanics Bank | | R. 15, Lots 108, 109 | 3.80 |
| **GREENBANK DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. | 19a. | Adj. Margaret Acord | 3.91 |
| Same | 72a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.92 |
| Anastasio, Theresa | | Lot 28, B. 2 | 3.80 |
| Gillian, Mattie E. | | L. 3, B. 6, Black A. | 5.44 |
| Gum, Frank & Elizabeth | 80po. | Dunmore | 6.54 |
| Hinkle, L. H. | 60a. | Deercreek | 11.30 |
| Kerr, Foster G. Est. | 15a. | Near Arbovale | 15.14 |
| Lett, Gayle | 30a. | L. No. 5, Near Durbin | 10.20 |
| Same | | L. 2, Alley Mt. | 6.90 |
| Wallace, Boles | 27a. | Buffalo Mt. | 11.61 |
| Same | 19a. | Buffalo Mt. | 5.54 |
| Same | 9a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.52 |
| Price, William | 93a. | Mt. Lick Run | 8.59 |
| Smith, George | 10a. | Leatherbark | 6.90 |
| Starlin, Geo. W. | 18a. | Hearthin Run | 4.02 |
| Varner, Mrs. Hattie V. | 5a. | E. Alley Mt. | 5.73 |
| Varner, John and Hattie | 20a. | E. Alley Mt. | 5.64 |
| Wilfong, H. M. | 1a. | Greenbrier River | 5.70 |
| **CASS SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Hicks, John | | 1,000 Sq. Ft. | 9.58 |
| **HUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 10a. | Thorny Creek | |
| Curry, Clarence C. | 12a. | Fenz | 5.02 |
| Same | 55 sq. ft. | Fenz | 5.12 |
| Young, C. Vaughn | 7a. | Thorny Creek | 4.98 |
| Kelley, Ethel et als | 20a. | Browns Mt. | 4.66 |
| | | | 6.57 |
| **LITTLE LEVELS DISTRICT** | | | |
| Hinkle, C. M. | 20a. | Dunsmith | |
| Same | 1a. | Bartonsville | 6.70 |
| | | | 5.65 |

Any of the aforesaid tracts or lots, or such thereof, or an undivided interest therein, may be redeemed by the payment to the undersigned sheriff (or collector) before sale, of the total amount of taxes, interest and charges due thereon as in the table of delinquencies.

Given under my hand this 16th day of November, 1943.

WARD MCCLURE, Sheriff

Clara Boggs 50c, William Boggs 50c, Mrs. Sallie McChesney $1, James Walker $1, Lack Boggs 20c, Hubberd Wheeler $2, Harry Walker $1.

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## DURBIN-BARTOW NEWS

**Birthday Surprise**—Mrs. F. A. Pritchard entertained with a surprise dinner on Sunday honoring her husband's birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall Wilson, Miss Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Schwartz Hill, of Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Groff, and Mrs. Elizabeth Welshans, the latter of Montgomery, Pa.

**Aged Citizen Dies**—Mr. "Bud" Slaven, 81, died at his home here on Friday, November 12, 1943. He had been an invalid for some time. Mr. Slaven is survived by his wife, one daughter, Jennie Bell Slaven, two sons, Paul and Silas Slaven, and two brothers, Charles Slaven of Frank and Gratz Slaven of Greenbank. Burial was made in the Bartow cemetery Monday following services at the Durbin Methodist Church in charge of Rev. Carlson, the pastor, and Rev. Wilmer Crummett of the Church of the Brethren.

**Mrs. Anderton Dies**—Mrs. Minnie Cromer Anderton died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Cromer, at Cheat Bridge, Sunday, November 14, 1943. She is survived by her husband, Arthur Anderton of Prospect Park, Philadelphia, Pa.; her parents; four sisters and nine brothers. Funeral arrangements were incomplete at this writing, awaiting the arrival of her husband.

**Personals**—Mrs. J. E. Hall and son Edward Hall, Jr., and family of Clifton Forge, Va., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ro Keller over Armistice Day.

C. E. Flynn, principal of Circleville high school, was a week-end visitor in town.

Howard Mullenax was lucky in getting a fine wild turkey Monday on Cheat Mountain.

Mrs. M. V. McCarty of Charleston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Gum and her son, J. M. Kane.

Mrs. Ashby Craft, Jr., of Charleston spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gum.

Harold Lambert of the U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Uxter Lambert of Frank, who spent his furlough with home folks, will leave Tuesday for his station at Great Lakes, Ill.

Mrs. Victor Collins of Frank is spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Florence Brown, in Elkins.

Seaman 2-c Victor Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Collins of Frank who spent his leave with home folks, left Sunday for Great Lakes to report for duty.

Word has been received at his home here that Jack Filuta has been promoted to Ship's Cook Third Class. He entered the Navy in July, 1942, and has been serving overseas aboard ship since September, 1942.

Mrs. B. C. Townsend and son, Cpl. John L. Townsend, were business visitors in Elkins last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spencer and children Kitty, Donnie and Sterl, visited relatives at Arbovale Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Burner is spending some time with friends and relatives in Alderson and Milton.

Earl Vance, Jr., small son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vance, who has been quite ill, is much improved at this writing.

Mrs. Annie Hiner who has been ill at a hospital in Elkins is recovering and is now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bill Hertig, in Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Townsend of White Sulphur Springs, were Thursday afternoon visitors at the home of his brother, B. C. Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and family who spent the past three weeks at Mrs. Johnson's home have returned to town.

Mrs. Harry Simmons of Clifton Forge, Va., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Uxter Lambert.

Charles Cover is spending a furlough with his father, Sam Cover, and other relatives.

Edward Stewart left last week for Pittsburgh, Pa., where he will enter the Navy.

## AN APPRECIATION

When Mrs. C. A. Mc[illegible] tary of Huntersville Chap[illegible] Order of the Eastern Star [illegible] news item of the Chapter [illegible] ed meeting in October [illegible] nal, she modestly omitted [illegible] something of which the [illegible] very proud.

At the meeting, reports of [illegible] cent session of Grand Chapter [illegible] organization, which was [illegible] Wheeling the first week [illegible] were read by Mrs. Edna Wh[illegible] sociate Matron, and Mrs. [illegible] ger, Worthy Matron, who [illegible] gates from Huntersville Ch[illegible] Both included in their [illegible] ports that Huntersville was [illegible] paid up in the O.E.S. [illegible] Temple Fund, and that Mrs. [illegible] had been presented with [illegible] certificate by Mrs. Mildred [illegible] Worthy Grand Matron.

This honor was made possi[illegible] Mrs. McMillion last June [illegible] completion of her year as [illegible] Matron, she presented Hu[illegible] Chapter with a check to cover [illegible] paid balance of the Temple fu[illegible] receive one of the certificates [illegible] goal set by every subordinate [illegible] ter of the Order, and one [illegible] which Huntersville Chapter has [illegible] working for a number of years.

This gracious gesture by Mrs. [illegible] Million will always be remem[illegible] by the members of her Chapter.

HARRIET G. WILLIAMS
Past Matron, Huntersville Chapter.

## YOUNG AMERICA DOES ITS BIT, TOO

CHICAGO, ILL.—Herman Oost, Harvard, Ill., above, is shown with his prize winning Berkshire cross hog which was awarded grand champion honors at the Junior Champion Hog show at the Stock Yards here recently. Oost is one of America's young farm boys who is aiding in the government's big drive to increase food production, and raising Berkshire hogs is young Oost's contribution to the program. Berkshire cross hogs swept all honors at the show, also winning top awards in both champion pen of three and champion pen of five, shown by other young Mid-west farmers.

That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—the use of stimulants and nicotine—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become overtaxed and fail to filter enough waste and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headaches, dizziness, and lose vitality and ambition. Loss of sleep, rheumatic pains, and other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are often blamed on something else.

The Doan's Pills you take also stimulate to cure kidney troubles. Use Doan's. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!

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# SOCIAL DOTS

• Chatty Items About People And Events •

Concerning folks we have read about or heard from: . . . Mrs. Stanley Marvin of Charleston, sister of Mrs. Jack Richardson, was in Fairmont attending a meeting of the newly-formed state organization for Women in Politics . . . Nice folks of Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chenault, who visited at Wyllie Hunter recently, have been making the Charleston society notes . . . Terry Kinser Lawton and young daughter have returned to the home of her parents at Frank, after a visit with her husband in Philadelphia . . . Betty Pifer celebrated her birthday one evening last week with a small dinner . . . Mrs. C. P. Sullivan and Mrs. Aubrey Starcher, sisters of Aubrey Ferguson, are expected to arrive this week-end for a visit . . . The Woman's Club meeting last Friday caused many to reaffirm that Mrs. R. S. McNeil is a lovely hostess.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoover and children and Miss Helen Spitzer, all of Newport News, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Chesson of Washington, N. C., spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Spitzer here.

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S. E. Keyser of Navy Yard, S. C., formerly of Cass, will spend next week hunting at Millboro, Va.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams were in Bainbello Sunday visiting their daughter, Miss Thelma Williams.

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Mr. and Mrs. "Nick" Carter and family of Elkins visited at the home of his mother here Sunday. Miss Pearl Carter accompanied them to Marlinton following a visit in Elkins.

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Mrs. Ralph Channel of Beverly was a guest at the home of Miss Pearl Carter Sunday. She also visited Miss Yeager at the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wool are visiting friends at Stuarts Draft, Va.

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Mrs. Solon Moore of Afton, Va., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McLaughlin.

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Brady Kincaid and family will move to the Yeager property in upper Marlinton soon.

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Dr. and Mrs. Joe Parsons will move in latter part of this month into the Moulton Field residence owned by Mrs. Maude Waugh, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson will move to the Alpine Hotel for the duration, as Mr. Ferguson will be examined sometime in December for entry into the armed forces.

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John Herold who enlisted in the Marines will go to Clarksburg Friday for his second examination.

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Cpl. Elmer of the Army is spending a 10-day furlough at his home here.

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Edward Rexrode accompanied Joe Rose to Baltimore, Md., where the latter entered the Marine hospital for treatment of injuries sustained when he was hit by a falling tree.

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Mrs. John Herold is visiting her sisters, the Misses Marie and Pauline Hovat of Charlottesville, Va., this week.

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Dr. and Mrs. Everett J. Gibson and son of Charleston are guests of the Gertrude Shop.

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Dale Waugh accompanied Dr. S. T. Wallace to Charlottesville Sunday where Dr. Wallace, who has been with U. entered the hospital for examination. Mr. Waugh returned to this town Wednesday.

## Mrs. Samuel McNeel Is Honor Guest at Lovely Bridal Shower

Mrs. Samuel Edgar McNeel, the former Miss Earlene Dever, who was married recently, was the guest of honor at a shower last Friday night at the home of Mrs. Leo Dever. Hostesses were Mrs. Dever, Mrs. G. M. Sharp, Mrs. Julian Lockridge and Miss Bly Ann Dever.

The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion, with the use of pine in the reception hall, and pine and baby yellow chrysanthemums combined in the living room. Large vases containing sprays of pine were at each end of the fireplace.

Honeymoon games were played with Mrs. Carl Gladwell and Mrs. Mack Brooks in charge. Later in the evening the guests were invited to the dining room where many gifts for the bride were displayed on a serving table. The dining room table, which was covered with a lace cloth, bore a centerpiece of miniature bride and bridegroom, and ground-pine sprays ran from the center of the table. Gingerbread with whipped cream, fancy mints, nuts and coffee were served by the hostesses.

Invited guests were: Mrs. Sherman Gibson, Misses Glenna and Edna Lee Gibson, Mrs. John Ryder, Mrs. Neil Hudson, Mrs. Hidie Sheets, Mrs. Myrta Moore, Mrs. Coe Beverage, Miss Eleanor McLaughlin, Miss Enid Harper, Mrs. Dora Pritchard, Mrs. Everette Ruckman, Miss Mary Ruckman, Mrs. Margaret Staffel, Mrs. Loy Hively, Mrs. Edith Harper, Mrs. Earl Dever, Mrs. Netta McElwee, Mrs. Radie Herold, Mrs. Virginia Sneddon, Mrs. Elva Wilson, Mrs. Elmer Moore, Miss Jane Moore, Mrs. Neese, Miss Mary Katherine Neese, Mrs. Maude Moore, Mrs. Arndt White, Mrs. Clyde Bussard, Misses Lucille and Edmonia Gibson, Miss Patty Stemple, Mrs. Gordon Mark, Mrs. Fred Allen, Mrs. Frank McLaughlin, Misses Mabel and Fleeta Lang, Mrs. Ed Williams, Mrs. Mack Brooks, Mrs. Carl Gladwell, Mrs. Moffett McNeel, Mrs. Mary S. McNeel and Mrs. George Bartholomew. Guests from a distance were Mrs. J. W. Murdock, and Mrs. Clarence Green of Charleston and Mrs. John Nelson of Renick.

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## P.-T. A. Meets Thursday

The Marlinton P.-T. A. will meet Thursday night, November 18, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Marlinton high school building. Mrs. Edward Rexrode, president, will be in charge of the meeting. November is membership month for the organization, and patrons are urged to pay membership dues to Miss Jane Kincaid, chairman of this committee.

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Pocahontas county sustained the loss of some good citizens this week when Mr. and Mrs. Mirle Irvine of Cass moved to Lewisburg. Mr. and Mrs. Irvine have stood for the better things of their community, and were active in civic undertakings. They were members of the Methodist Church. Mr. Irvine is a Mason and Mrs. Irvine belongs to the Order of the Eastern Star.

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## M. H. S. BAND WILL SPONSOR "CHINA," AT ALPINE THEATRE NEXT WEEK

Boosters of the Marlinton High School Band, will be given an opportunity to lend tangible support to that organization when it sponsors the motion picture "China," starring the favorites, Alan Ladd and Loretta Young, next Wednesday and Thursday, November 24 and 25, at the Alpine Theatre in Marlinton. This organization, which is growing all the while, in both size and experience, is doing as much as any group to make a real contribution to the community spirit here, and deserves the full support of everyone. Their participation in the recent Armistice Day celebration for the dedication of the Pocahontas County Honor Roll, which was carried out in bleak cold weather, won the admiration and plaudits of the large crowd which attended. The Band is under the direction of Miss Edith May. —Photograph from 1943 M. H. S. annual.

## Grade School Pupils Here To Give Blackface Minstrel

The pupils of Marlinton Graded School will present "Strutters' Ball," a blackface minstrel show, at the high school auditorium, at 8 p. m., Tuesday, November 30. The public is invited.

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Cloe Wanless, former resident of Pocahontas county, now of Baltimore, Md., spent the week-end visiting relatives here. He is a cousin of Mrs. Odie Johnson.

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Miss Blanche Patterson of Greenbrier county was visiting relatives in Pocahontas county Sunday.

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J. C. Foutz, father of Mrs. Dewey Stemple, is a patient at the local hospital, undergoing an operation.

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Other hospital patients at this writing are: Dolly Lou McLaughlin of Dunmore; Mrs. Creola Church, colored, of Hillsboro; Mrs. Howard Hevener and baby daughter, born Monday morning; J. A. Patterson; Mrs. Lloyd Reed and baby daughter, of Marlinton; Mrs. William O. Gallaher of Marlinton; J. W. Hill, town recorder here; Mrs. Hulda Friel; Bernard Hamrick of Cass; Paul Kesler of Cass; Mrs. Cam McLaughlin of Dunmore; Mrs. Mary McClure of Droop; Nelson Summers of Lobelia; Mrs. Hamp Cook of Seebert, and Mrs. James Howard and baby son, of Buckeye.

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### SCHOOL PRINCIPALS MEET

Maynard Dilley, principal at the Seneca Trail school, and newly elected president of the Pocahontas County Principals' Association, presided at the second meeting of the organization this year, held Tuesday night at the Dunmore school.

## State Women's Clubs Plan "Buy a Bomber" Campaign

The West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs will open its "Buy a Bomber" campaign on November 20, Miss Mary Ella MacDonald, Martinsburg, chairman of the war bond and stamp committee for the federation, has announced. Campaign has the approval of the U. S. Treasury Department and the West Virginia War Finance Committee.

The campaign will be concluded December 31, Miss WacDonald said. Objective is to buy one heavy bomber at a cost of $300,000, to be named the "West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs" and will be presented as West Virginia's quota to the General Federation by Mrs. J. Maurice Bodkin, Parkersburg, the state president.

Announcement of the opening of the "bomber" drive this Saturday was accompanied by a statement from Mrs. Maude B. Hatfield, Iaeger, chairman of the federations War Department, asking all senior and junior clubs to give full cooperation to the campaign.

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## Dunmore Farm Women Meet at Harry Miller Home

Dunmore Farm Women's Club met Tuesday for a covered-dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Harry Miller. Lunch was served at 12:30, with Rev. C. L. Nisbet asking the blessing, and following the luncheon he spoke to the group on "Community Life." A talk was also given by Mrs. Esther LaRose, home demonstration agent. The program was closed with prayer by Rev. Hobart Childs, and a business session followed. Guests were Mrs. John Sydenstricker, Mrs. Alice Jackson, Mrs. Grace Yeager, Mrs. LaRose, Rev. Childs and Rev. Nisbet.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Guthrie are visiting relatives near Petersburg.

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## District Superintendent To Preach Here Sunday

Rev. H. V. Wheeler, District Superintendent of the Methodist Church in the Lewisburg District, will preach at the Marlinton Methodist Church, Sunday, November 21, at 7:30 p. m., it is announced by Rev. Fred Oxendale, pastor. The public is invited to attend the services.

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## LOBELIA NEWS

We are having real winter weather here now.

Farmers here are taking advantage of the brisk weather, and a large number of nice hogs were butchered recently.

Robert Williams has been very ill at his home with a bealed jaw caused by an infected tooth.

Tommie Barcroft returned last Monday from Baltimore. He was accompanied there by his wife, who will undergo an operation following a few days' rest. Her sister, Mrs. Fred Hill, will stay with Mrs. Barcroft until after the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hodges of Forrest Hill, Md., are visiting friends and relatives here. Ernest enters the armed service November 26.

Gertrude Kinnison and little Ruby Lynn Hodges spent Saturday with Mary Ann Hollandsworth.

Mrs. Dick Ervine was called to Cleveland, O., last Thursday by the illness of her husband, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kimdson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaughn last Wednesday.

The baby of the Clark Youngs is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sizemore and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Morrison were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Rose on Sunday.

Samuel Dean who has been working at Meadville, Pa., for several months is home for two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dean.

Algernon Rider left Saturday for Charleston to spend the week-end with his sisters, Miss Helen Ryder and Mrs. Harvey Warwick.

Thirteen members of the Lobelia Farm Women's Club attended the county Achievement Day at Marlinton Saturday. We wish sincere good luck to the new president, Mrs. E. L. Cutlip, who was president of the Lobelia club for several years. We know that she will do her best.

Give him a Crisp WAR BOND for a CHRISTMAS present to be remembered. Keep on BACKING THE ATTACK.

THE DURBIN THEATRE

DURBIN — Thurs., Nov. 18th
CASS — Fri., Nov. 19th
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— in —
"Something to Shout About"

DURBIN — Saturday, November 20th
RUSSEL JENKINS - DUB TAYLOR
— in —
"Tornado in the Saddle"

CASS — Mon., Nov. 22nd
DURBIN — Tues., Nov. 23rd
— DOUBLE FEATURE —
JOHN LODER—IN
"GORILLA MAN"
RICHARD ARLEN—IN
"WRECKING CREW"

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He's working late at the Ration Board

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He's putting in long hours at the local War Price and Rationing Board after he leaves his own job. It's late, he's tired, he's working without pay. Because he wants to do his bit to help everyone get a fair share of food and fuel and other rationed commodities. Because he figures he owes it to the boy next door (he's in uniform) and to his friends and neighbors.

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HOW TO CURE A STICKY WAFFLE IRON

A waffle generally sticks because of improper preheating or insufficient shortening in the batter. When this happens, remove particles left on grid with wire brush. Then cover the grids with a thin film of salad oil or melted unsalted fat. Let grids heat until they smoke, pour batter and discard first waffle.

1 Heat iron to right temperature before pouring batter.
2 Wipe grids lightly with soft cloth or paper towel after each use. Don't wash grids.
3 Cool iron with lid up—never while closed or grids will smoulder.

SOME OTHER HINTS ON WAFFLE IRON CARE

MONONGAHELA SYSTEM

# See Here, Private Hargrove!

by Marion Hargrove

W.N.U. SERVICE

THE STORY SO FAR: Private Marion Hargrove, former feature editor of a North Carolina newspaper, has been inducted into the army and is near the end of his basic training at Fort Bragg. He has been classified as a cook and in addition his failure to master some of the fundamentals of army life have resulted in considerable extra KP duty. Thus he is thoroughly familiar with the Company kitchen and its workings. He has also learned the finer points of "goldbricking." He is editor of a section of the camp paper. As we pick up the story, Hargrove is entertaining "the Redhead" at dinner. She is having trouble getting the waiter to bring her a glass of water and Hargrove speaks:

### CHAPTER XV

"Ahem," I said. He stopped humming a little tune with which he had engaged himself, and he looked at me with kindly curiosity. "Ahem," I repeated. "Are you the waiter with the water for my daughter?"

He turned on a tight, polite little smile. "The water, monsieur, will be forthcoming. I have sent my friend Charles for the water."

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The Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor this afternoon came as stunning news to the men at Fort Bragg. There had been a rumor, one day a couple of months ago, that Germany had declared war on the United States to beat us to the draw, and since it was merely a rumor, there was no confirmation or denial over the radio all day long. That supposed news back then had been taken with a philosophic shrug and the thought, "Well, it's what we've been expecting."

This today caused a different war feeling. It was not what we had been expecting. To the soldiers here, whose only attention to the newspapers is a quick glance at the headlines, it was startling and dreadful.

The men who heard the news announcement over the radio this afternoon at the Service Club were, for the most part, new to the Army, with less than a month of training behind them. Their first feeling of outrage gave way to the awful fear that they would be sent away, green and untrained and helpless, within a week.

The rumor mill began operation immediately. New York and Fort Bragg will be bombed within the month, the rumors said. Probably, by that time, all of us will be in Hawaii or Russia or Persia or Africa. Green and untrained and helpless. This business of teaching a man for thirteen weeks in a replacement center will be dispensed with, now that war is upon us. You're a civilian one day and a rookie member of a seasoned fighting outfit the next.

Except for a few for whom the radio held a terrible fascination the men thought first of communicating with their families, their friends, their sweethearts. They immediately went for writing materials and for the two public telephones of the club. Almost all of the 64,000 men of Fort Bragg were trying to reach their homes through the eight trunk lines which ran out of the pitifully overburdened little telephone exchange in Fayetteville.

Miss Ethel Walker, who was acting as senior hostess for the Replacement Center's Service Club, had planned an entertainment program for the evening, but when she looked out at the tension in the social hall, she despaired. She telephoned her boss, Major Herston M. Cooper, the special services officer.

"There's no use trying to put on the show tonight," she said. "Shall I cancel it? And may I turn off the radio?"

"If it's a good program, keep it," said the major. "And by all means leave the radio on. Just hang on; I'll be there in five minutes."

The major, a former criminologist and schoolteacher in Birmingham, was a lean and mischievous-looking infantry officer with a gift of gab and a camaraderie with the enlisted men. He sauntered into the Service Club, noised it about that he was going to talk, and hooked up the public address microphone.

"Here it comes," said an unhappy acting corporal. "Here comes the higher brass, to tell us the worst."

The major cleared his throat and looked over the crowd which gathered about him. "I know that this is your Service Club," he said, "and I'm a staff officer barging in on you. Before I was an officer, I was an enlisted man. And, as an enlisted man, I've done more KP than any man in this room."

A little of the tension passed and the major lapsed into one of his occasionally absent-minded ramblings. "In fact, I went on KP every time they inspected my rifle. Couldn't keep the thing clean."

He paused. "The main thing that has us worrying this afternoon is the very same thing we're being trained to protect. It's what they call the American Way—and they spell it with capitals.

"I have my own ideas about the American Way. I think the American Way is shown to you boys when persons paid actual taxes so that you could know what it was to eat books. It's shown to the men who gave two dollars to see a wrestling match so to watch the wrestlers back to have the referee. It's the good and gold-hill American spirit and you can't find it anywhere but here.

"You and I both, when we were called into the Army, brought our homes with us. We've been thinking less about war than about getting back home after a while—back to our girls and our wives and our civilian jobs.

"Well, we know now where we stand and we don't have to worry about whether we're in for a long stretch or a short vacation. That should be cleared up now. We know that we've got only one job now and we haven't time to worry about the one at home.

"You're worrying because you're not prepared soldiers, you're not ready to fight yet. When the time comes for you to go, you'll be ready. You'll have your fundamental training before you leave the Replacement Center.

"Spending your duty hours at work and your leisure hours at worry

**"As an enlisted man, I've done more KP than any man in this room," said the major.**

—that's no good. That's what the enemy wants for you."

"I guess that's all, boys."

He turned to leave the microphone, but returned as if he had suddenly remembered something.

"The regular variety show will go on tonight at eight o'clock," he said.

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They come and they go from the Replacement Center more quickly now, or perhaps it merely seems that they do. The training cycles have not been cut down much, but the turnover of men seems greater. Perhaps it's just that we notice the arrivals and departures more, now that war has given them grimness.

We call the train—the one that brings in recruits and takes out soldiers—the Shanghai Express. The term probably was used first by some disgruntled soldier who put into it the bitterness of a difficult transition from civilian to soldier. Now the term is used with a certain tender fondness by the permanent personnel of the Center, we who watch the men come and go.

The melancholy moan of a train whistle is heard in the distance of the night and a sergeant clicks his teeth wistfully. "Here she comes, boys," he says. "Here comes the Shanghai Express." The sound of the whistle identifies all that touches the heart of a soldier.

There was a group of new men coming in this morning, down at the railroad siding. Their new uniforms hung strangely upon them, conspicuous and uncertain and uncomfortable—new uniforms on new soldiers.

They were frightened and ill at ease, these men. A week ago they had been civilians and the prospect of the Army had probably hung over some of them like a Damoclean sword. They had been told, by well-meaning friends, that the Army wouldn't be so bad once they got used to it. The Army will make you or break you, they had been told. The Army really isn't as bad as it's painted, they had heard. All of this, in a diabolically suggestive way, had opened conjectures to terrify the most indomitable.

This morning, they still hadn't had time to get over their fears. They still had no idea of what Army life was going to be like. Most of all and first of all, they wondered; "What sort of place is this we're coming into?"

Their spirits were still at their lowest point — past, present, or future.

The Replacement Center band, led by wizened little Master Sergeant Knowles, was there to greet them with a welcome that might dispel from them the feeling that they were cattle being shipped into the fort on consignment. First there were the conventional but stirring military marches, the "Caisson Song" and all the rest. And then there was a sly and corny rendition of the "Tiger Rag," a friendly musical wink that said, "Take it easy, brother."

Just as their arrival marks an emotional ebb, their departure is the flood tide. The men who came in a few weeks ago, green and terrified, leave now as soldiers. The corporal whom they dreaded then is now just a jerk who's bucking for sergeant. Although they are glad that they have been trained with other men on the same level here, the training center which was first a vast and awful place is now just a training center, all right in its way—for rookies. They themselves have outgrown their kindergarten.

The band is at the railroad siding, this time to see them off with a flourish. They pay more atention to the band this time. They know the "Caisson Song." They know their own Replacement Center Marching Song, composed by one of their number, a quiet little ex-music teacher named Harvey Bosell. They hum the tune as they go aboard.

They see the commanding general standing on the side lines with his aide. He is no longer an ogre out of Washington who might, for all they know, have the power of life and death over them to administer it at a whim. He is the commanding general, a good soldier and a good fellow, and it was damned white of him to come down to see them off.

They board the train and they sit waiting for it to take them to their permanent Army post and their part in the war.

As a special favor and for old time's sake, the band swings slowly into the song that is the voice of their nostalgia, "The Sidewalks of New York," Yankee or Rebel, Minnesotan or Navadan, they love that song.

You can see their faces tightening a little, and a gentle melancholy look come into their eyes as the trombone wails beneath the current of the music. Their melancholy is melancholy with a shrug now. Home and whatever else was dearest to them a few months ago are still dear, but a soldier has to push them into the background when there's a war to be fought.

With the music still playing, the train pulls slowly out and Sergeant Knowles waves it goodby with his baton.

An old sergeant, kept in the Replacement Center to train the men whose fathers fought with him a generation ago, stands on the side and watches them with a firm, proud look.

"Give 'em hell, boys," he shouts behind them. "Give 'em hell!"

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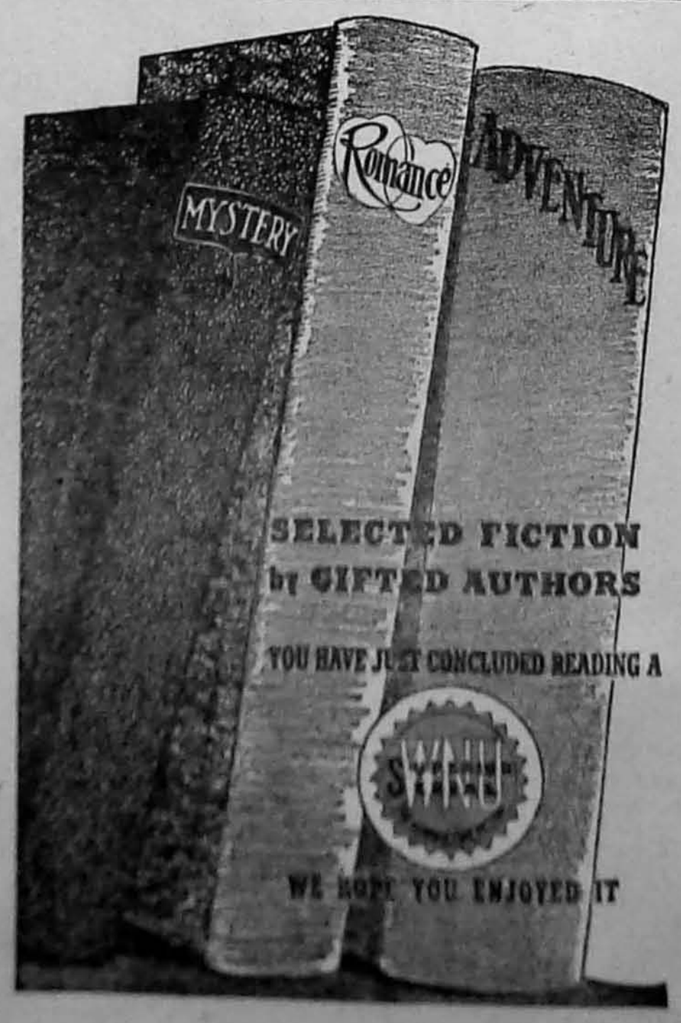



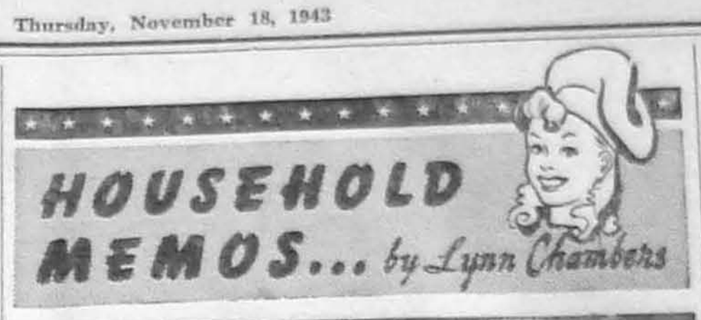

**Stuffed Eggs Are Colorful in Spanish Sauce**
(See Recipes Below)

### Point Wisdom

There should be some sort of an "E" award for the housewives who go about their business daily, keeping their homes in order and feeding their families nutritious, well-balanced meals in spite of high prices and hiked-up point values.

And to you ladies who rate or would rate the household "E" aren't you finding new respect for foods low in points or which require no points? I wager there's many an egg with a heart of gold that's come to your rescue and hitherto-scorned fish that's made a hearty and delicious meal when points have been all used up.

Both eggs and fish are complete proteins, and they are just as important as meat in building and repairing body tissue which is necessary every day. Both can be combined into just as looked-for dishes as meat and cheese which are rationed.

A word of caution when you cook those precious eggs. Use low temperatures whether you fry, scramble, cook or bake them, otherwise you will have tough, leathery eggs. Cook them carefully, and ah! you will indeed discover how delightful they truly are. Use variety in serving eggs, too, and don't just go through the humdrum monotony of serving them plain boiled, scrambled or fried.

**Spanish Eggs on Toast.**
**(Serves 4)**
**8 stuffed egg halves**
**4 slices of toast**
**Spanish sauce**

Lay slices of toast on bottom of baking dishes. Prepare Hot Stuffed eggs as suggested in following recipe and arrange eggs on top of toast. Pour hot Spanish sauce over and around eggs. Garnish with toast triangles. Serve at once.

**Stuffed Eggs.**
**4 hard-cooked eggs**
**⅛ teaspoon salt**
**Dash of pepper or cayenne**
**3 tablespoons salad dressing**
**1 teaspoon chopped parsley**

Cut eggs in half lengthwise or crosswise. Remove yolks, press through sieve. Add seasonings and dressing. Beat until fluffy and refill egg whites. Top stuffed eggs with buttered crumbs and broil or bake in hot oven about 6 minutes or until crumbs are browned.

**Spanish Sauce.**

Prepare about 3 cups of your favorite tomato sauce and season rather highly. Add 2 tablespoons chopped onion and 2 tablespoons chopped green pepper at the last.

**Eggs a la King.**
**(Serves 3 to 4)**
**3 tablespoons butter or margarine**
**3 tablespoons flour**
**2 cups milk**
**Salt and pepper**
**6 hard-cooked eggs, chopped**
**¼ pound mushrooms**
**1 tablespoon chopped pimiento**
**1 tablespoon chopped green pepper**

Melt butter or margarine in top of double boiler; add flour and stir to a smooth paste. Add milk gradually, stirring constantly, and season. Cook 5 minutes over boiling water. Add eggs, sliced mushrooms sauteed in butter or margarine, pimiento, and green pepper. Reheat. Serve on toast or in rice ring.

**Chinese Omelet.**
**(Serves 6)**
**½ cup uncooked rice**
**4 tablespoons butter or margarine**
**4 tablespoons flour**
**2 cups milk**
**3 eggs, separated**
**¼ teaspoon paprika**
**1¼ teaspoons salt**
**⅛ teaspoon dry mustard**
**4 tablespoons grated cheese**

Cook rice until tender. Rinse with hot and cold water. Make a sauce of butter or margarine, flour and milk. Cook, stirring constantly until thickened. Beat egg yolks. Add rice, sauce, seasonings and cheese. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into a greased shallow pan. Bake at 350 to 375 degrees for 35 minutes.

Do you frequent the fish counters at least twice a week to look for bargains in fresh fish? If you don't, you should, for it's a splendid way of providing your family with a good quality protein food, to say nothing of the way in which you save points for meat.

***Baked Fish.**

Clean fish and prepare for stuffing. Dry carefully inside and sprinkle with salt. Stuff and sew up fish. Rub with melted fat, salt and dredge with flour. Place on a greased fish sheet in dripping pan. Place over fish small pieces of salt pork or brush with oil. Bake 45 minutes in a moderate (350-degree) oven.

**Fish Stuffing.**
**1½ cups bread crumbs**
**2 tablespoons chopped onion**
**½ cup chopped celery**
**2 tablespoons chopped parsley**
**1 egg, beaten**
**½ teaspoon salt**
**⅛ teaspoon paprika**
**1 teaspoon lemon juice or**
**¼ teaspoon herb seasoning**

Combine all ingredients together and add enough milk or soup stock to hold ingredients together in a moist dressing. Fill fish, then sew sides together with a coarse needle and thread.

**Baked Halibut with Spanish Sauce.**
**2 pounds halibut**
**Spanish Sauce:**
**1 can tomato soup**
**1 small onion chopped**
**4 tablespoons green pepper, chopped**

Place halibut in greased utility dish. Mix tomato soup with green pepper and onion and pour over fish. Bake for 1 hour in a 375-degree oven.

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**Lynn Says:**

**Meat Stretchers:** Store and cook meat properly for greatest economy. Fresh meat is best stored if wiped with a damp cloth, covered loosely with waxed paper and stored in coldest part of refrigerator.

Variety meats, ground meats and fish should be used 24 hours after purchasing. Ground meat darkens if allowed to stand and spoils more quickly than whole cuts.

Frozen meat keeps indefinitely in the freezing unit. However, after thawing, it spoils more quickly than other meat and should be cooked immediately.

Cooked meats should be covered closely to prevent drying and stored in coldest part of refrigerator. Do not cut, grind or slice until ready to use.

Poultry should be cleaned and washed before refrigerating. It keeps better if stored whole rather than in pieces.

**Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu**
*Baked Fish With Stuffing
Broccoli With Lemon Wedges
Baked Potatoes
Jellied Fruit Salad
Whole Wheat Rolls Butter
Honey Oatmeal Wafers
Beverage
*Recipe Given


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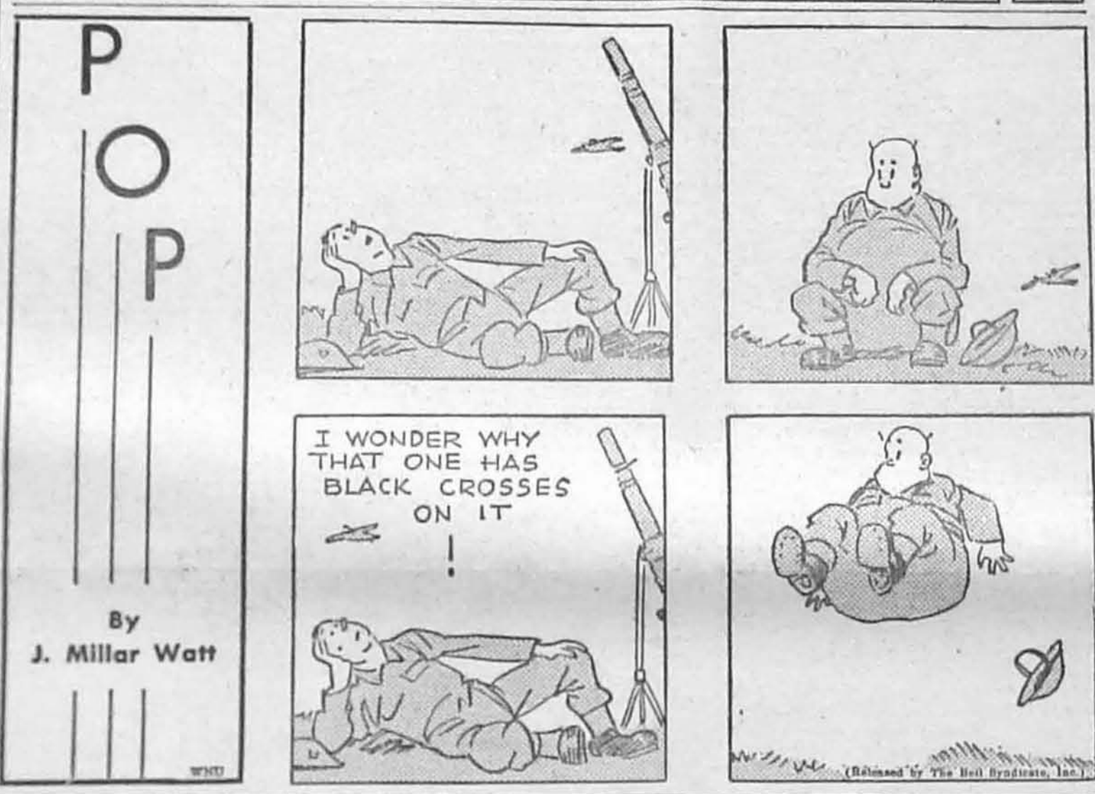

### Land, Ho!

Sea! Sea everywhere, as the great liner glowed her way onward.

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"Good heavens! In what direction, steward?"

"Straight down!" was the answer.

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Michel—I just allow lying in bed mornings and singing my head for my personal good.

Jean—My goodness, do you have a maid?

Michel—No, but I have a help!

### Knowing Fish

Customer—I haven't found a bit of bone in this mackerel yet.

Waiter—Why another time.

Customer—Huge, cold cod.

Waiter—You must have gone right past it.

### TIT FOR TAT

Harry—Does your wife use your razor to open packages?

Jerry—Yes, but I don't mind. I use her powder puff to shine my shoes.

### Wrong Word

Mrs. Jones—I always thought your son was too lazyous to get in the navy.

Mrs. Smith—Listuous! Why heavens no! He has a list of shoulder, a list of bravestiff and a list of red tassels.

### Sense?

Jim—How do you spell "sense"?

Bill—What kind—dollars and cents or horse sense?

Jim—Well, like in, "I ain't seen you get sense."

### True Story

Artist—You're the only model of mine I've ever kissed.

Model—I'll bet you tell that to all your models. How many have you had?

Artist—Four—an onion, a banana, a vase and you!

### Food for Thought

Harry—It looks as if we're getting back to the horse and buggy days.

Jerry—I can manage to eat horse meat all right, but I draw the line at bugs.

### Good Argument

Irish—You're an Englishman.

Scotch—I am not. My father and mother are Scotch and so am I.

Irish—You are just the same, because you were born in England.

Scotch—Well, if a cat had kittens in the oven, would you call them biscuits?

### Not So WACY

Mabel—What wartime occupation are you following?

Mary—Well, right now, it's a beau-hunt in the overseas!

## Uncle Phil Says:

Most men would learn if they could acquire knowledge without the humiliation of being taught.

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## CASS NEWS

### Cass Youth Fellowship Presents Special Service For Flag Dedication

The Cass Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church presented a special service on Sunday, November 14, combining a celebration of Armistice Day and the dedication of the new Service Flags. A large crowd attended.

The church altar was attractively decorated with red, white and blue paper, lighted red and white candles, and miniature American flags. The church also was decorated with a large American flag and a Christian flag.

The program, honoring men from the church now serving the nation, consisted of the following features, in charge of Marie Dill, and emphasizing the theme, "Followers of the Prince of Peace":

Prelude—"Finlandia."
Call to worship—By the leader.

PART I

(a) Penitance
Silent prayer.
Hymn—"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind."
Scripture—Matthew 5:21-24-43-48, by Evelyn Galford.

(b) Fellowship
Poem—"Beheld the Day is Drawing Near," by Julia Fisher.

(c) Discipline
Poem—"We Would Be Building," by Pauline Dahmer.
Prayer—By Ted Shinaberry.

PART II

Music—"Star-Spangled Banner."
Salute to American Flag—By Beulah Dahmer.
Salute to Christian Flag—By Bertha Lee Dill.
The American's Creed—by Marie Dill.
Story—"Thank God for America," by Bill Zopp.
Choir—"America for Christ."
Song—"America the Beautiful."
Poem—"Sound Forth, O Voice of God," by Maxine Fisher.
Dialogue—By Maxine Shinaberry and Catherine Sheets.

A Prayer for Our Nation was read in unison by the congregation, and the Armistice service concluded with the singing of the hymn, "Lead On, O King Eternal."

The dedication of the Service Flags was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Q. R. Arbogast, with responses by the congregation. A prayer of dedication was given by Rev. Arbogast and the service was concluded with a response—Prayer for Men in Service—by the choir.

The 58 stars on the Service Flags represent:

Arbogast, Everette
Arbogast, Roy
Belcher, Earl
Blackhurst, Francis
Bankenship, Jesse
Byrd, Harold
Cassell, Lloyd
Cassell, Thurmond
Church, Leonard
Cooke, Jim
Dahmer, Ray
Dill, Marvin
Dill, Oscar
Fisherman, Charles
Fisherman, Jack
Gaffney, Bert
Gaffney, Calvin
Gaffney, Don
Gaffney, Fleet
Gaffney, Lawrence
Gaffney, Leonard
Gum, Arthur
Gum, Guy
Hancock, Woodrow
Handley, Bill
Hammetall, Donald
Hammetall, Raymond
Hanaff, Don
Holliday, Edd
Jones, Bill
Kaiser, George
Lantz, Nelson
Moore, John
McLaughlin, Herman
McLaughlin, Ira
McLaughlin, Norman
Moore, Garland
Moore, Arnold
Pallthorpe, Julius
Price, Merle
Rose, Carl
Ryder, Pardie
Ryder, Hunter
Sharp, Lake
Shifflet, Warren
Shinaberry, Marshall
Slaven, Earl
Slaven, Junior
Slaven, Kyle
Swisher, Arthur
Tallman, Russell
Thomas, Ray
Thompson, Keith
White, Junior
Wilfong, Edd
Wilfong, Howard
Wooddell, Bob
Yates, Chester

### PERSONALS

Mrs. C. R. Shrader had as her guests last week her sister and husband, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Moore of Barton, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Riffle and Miss Mildred Fuhrman of Elkins spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fuhrman.

John Keller of Jacksonville, Fla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Gillespie and daughter of Monterey, Va., spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoover and family of Newport News, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ervine last week.

Mrs. Yates of Alderson and Mrs. Casdorph of Ronceverte were visiting Mrs. Martin Dahmer at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Warren Blackhurst, several days last week.

Corpl. Huffman Summerfield and Pvt. Melvin Good of Tennessee are spending leaves from the Army with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Summerfield and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Good.

Mr. and Mrs. Mirle Irvine moved to Lewisburg this week where they will reside. Mr. Irvine is employed at White Sulphur Springs.

Jim Willhide of Charleston visited relatives here last week.

Clarence Lyle, who has been employed in Baltimore, received his call for the Army, and is visiting friends here.

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## GREENBANK NEWS

**W. S. C. S.** — At the November meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Greenbank Methodist Church, held at the home of Mrs. Paul Friel, all officers who served the past year were retained for another term of office. The lesson was in charge of Mrs. Merritt Gum. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Friel.

**Farm Women Meet**—The November meeting of the Greenbank Farm Women's Club was held at the home of Mrs. McCoy Friel. The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Fred Conrad; vice president, Mrs. Tilden Brown; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. McCoy Friel. A discussion on old-fashioned home-made games was held and many of them were played by the members. The new home demonstration agent, Mrs. Esther N. LaRose, visited the club. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Friel.

**Baby Born** — Stepping high and wearing a wide smile these days is Howard Hevener—all on account of a little bundle that arrived at the Marlinton hospital Sunday, November 14, 1943. The little lady has not been named.

**Harper Child**—Mr. and Mrs. Bardon Harper have a daughter, Roseann, who arrived on November 10, 1943. Mrs. Harper is the former Leone Oliver.

**Personals**—Mr. and Mrs. Clark McCutcheon were visiting in Clarksburg last Wednesday.

Mrs. R. B. Summerson, Mrs. Neil Hevener and Milly Lee Hevener were in Marlinton Sunday to see the new little Hevener.

Mrs. Donald Wood is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood of Elkins.

Leonard McCutcheon was home for a few hours Sunday from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Carl Wright of Wyandotte, Mich., is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wright.

Shopping in Staunton and Charlottesville Saturday were Mrs. Lynn Dolly, Lynn Kerr, Mace Lantz and Al Smith McCutcheon.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wright Sunday were Rome Rogers and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Hillsboro, Grover Wright of Cass, Mrs. Victor Collins of Durbin, and Carl Wright of Wyandotte, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Summerson and Milly Lee Hevener ate corn bread with the McCutcheons on Sunday.

Ralph Matheny left Sunday for Baltimore, where he has employment.

Clyde Sheets left Tuesday for Wyandotte, Mich., to resume his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hevener, Mrs. R. B. Summerson and Milly Lee Hevener were in Staunton on business Monday.

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## STYLES OF YESTERYEAR

YOUNGER folks during the bicycle age fifty years ago pedaled two-wheelers, but the oldsters drove tricycles. And the society women wore leg-o-mutton sleeves, with spectacles of nondescript style hanging from a cord.

How styles have changed, says the Better Vision Institute. Grandma wants an airplane. Smart women want sleek, clinging dresses with no extra puffs. Men and women generally want smart, stylish spectacles that improve their faces.

## ARBOVALE NEWS

**Youth Groups Meet** — The Youth Interest Group and the Young People's Prayer Band of Arbovale met with Mrs. DeHaven at the parsonage on November 12. The meeting was called to order by the leader, Mrs. DeHaven. The group sent a Christmas card to each local boy in service, and elected new officers for the coming year, as follows: President, Naomi Sutton; vice president, Betty Brown; secretary, Myrtle Gillespie; treasurer, Opal Ervine; reporter, Peggy Crist. At the conclusion of the meeting a social hour was held and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the Warren Ervine home with Jean and Phyllis as hostesses.

**Birthday Party**—A surprise birthday party was held last week for Edith Flynn and Estes Crist at Mrs. Flynn's home. The cake was baked by Mrs. Sylvia Orndorff. Old-time music was played by the Sutton brothers, Dale and Homer, and the several guests spent an enjoyable evening.

**Personals**—Sue Sheets left Friday for Pittsburgh to spend two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Carl Yates.

Mrs. Fannie Kane moved into the Duncan house at Arbovale.

Mrs. Nettie Sheets returned home after spending several weeks with her daughter in Pittsburgh.

Gay Sheets of the U. S. Navy, stationed at the Great Lakes base, and his recent bride, spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Nettie Sheets.

Miss Plese Riley who is employed in Baltimore is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riley.

Miss Lynn Kerr, Mrs. Lynn Dolly and Virginia Hendrickson spent Saturday in Charlottesville and Staunton shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Arbogast of Elkins spent Sunday with Virginia Hendrickson.

Mrs. Allie Arbogast is spending a few days with Mrs. Ethel Hevener.

Mrs. Edith Flynn and Mrs. Roxie Arbogast left Monday for Ohio and Pennsylvania where they will visit friends and Mrs. Arbogast's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Wooddell of Greenbank were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ervine.

Saturday night guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Friel were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott of Greenbank and Mr. and Mrs. Hoxie Pugh.

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### CASS YOUTH FELLOWSHIP COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

The Council of the Youth Fellowship of Cass Methodist Church held its monthly meeting with Evelyn Galford on Tuesday, November 9, with Miss Galford in charge of the program, which was as follows: Song, "Come Thou Fount"; Scripture, 34th Psalm, read in unison; poem, "I Thank the Lord, Do You?" read by Julia Fisher; talk, "The Thanksgiving Way of Glorifying God," by Maxine Fisher; poem, "Giving Thanks Always," by Bill Zopp; song, "Blessed Assurance"; talk, "Plymouth's Pilgrim Mother," Marie Dill; prayer, Ted Shinaberry. Present were President Maxine Fisher, Vice President Ted Shinaberry, Secretary Bill Zopp, Treasurer Julia Fisher; Publicity Superintendent Marie Dill; Asst. Publicity Superintendent Evelyn Galford; and Adult Adviser Mrs. Preston Galford.

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### POCAHONTAS MISSION CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

**Rev. Wilmer Crummett, Pastor**

November 21:

Stony Creek—Sunday school at 10 a. m., Preaching at 11 a. m.

Poage Lane—Preaching at 3 p. m.

New Hope—Preaching at 7:30 p.m.

November 25:

Special Thanksgiving Day services will be held at Hevener Church at 10:30 a. m., and at Boyer Church at 7:30 p. m. All are invited to the above services.

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## HUNTERSVILLE NEWS

Corpl. Jimmie Nelson of the Army is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Nelson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Moore visited their daughter, Miss Dorothy Moore, a student at Potomac State College at Keyser last week.

Marion Gum of Greenbank spent days last week.

Mrs. Peyton Moore and Mrs. sabeth McCosky visited friends Staunton, Va., last week.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Peyton Moore November 4, with 18 members present.

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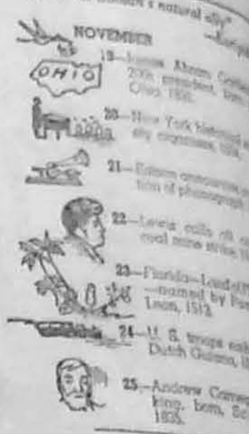


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America's trappers—including the youngsters and the women who are carrying on for absent sons, brothers and husbands—may rightfully smile with pride as they keep the nation's traplines going. For the product of their endeavor, fur, is playing a new role today.

Always valued as a source of income and as an article of high fashion and warmth, fur is now doing its part in outfitting Uncle Sam's Arctic fighters—so that they may better withstand the rigors of cold. As an example, parka hoods for the uniforms of our ski troopers (see illustration) are among the items whose production depends upon the output of the country's traplines. Also the fur vests worn by the men who sail our ships through Northern waters. With increased attention being paid to materials for warm clothing, furs are becoming more and more important to a fighting victory-bound America.

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## War Fund Reaches Goal

Harper M. Smith, county chairman, last week announced the successful completion of the National War Fund drive here, stating that the campaign had achieved the quota of $3,500 for Pocahontas county. Mr. Smith issued the follow letter of appreciation:

"To the Citizens of Pocahontas County:

"The National War Fund quota for Pocahontas County has been established. I want to thank every one for the sake of our Armed Forces and of the Associated Charities sharing in the effort, who in any way contributed to the cause, and especially the solicitors who worked so diligently, the county newspapers which put the issue before our people. We feel our share will help to bring this war to a speedy end.

"Pocahontas county has again shown her Patriotism and Loyalty. Very sincerely,

"HARPER M. SMITH,
Chairman, Pocahontas County War Fund Committee."

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## National War Fund CONTRIBUTORS

Mr. James K. Rock $1, George W. [illegible] $1, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clutter $1, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Beard $2, Mr. Richard McCarty $1, Miss Sarah McCarty $1, Clark Gum Inc. $4c, Mrs. George Harper $1, Miss Blanche Harper $1, Wm. Guy Dalton $1, Mrs. [illegible] Forbes $1, Kitty Workman $1, Rev. J. S. Workman $1, W. W. [illegible] $1, Mrs. Mary Harper $2, Richard McCarty $1, Billy McCarty $1, Mr. Albert Moore $1, E. S. [illegible] $2, Geo. Pyles $1, Mrs. Susie [illegible] $1, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond [illegible] $1, Mrs. Abbie McPalmer $1, [illegible] $1, L. V. Minnich $1, Anna Hall Simmons $1, Dixie [illegible] I.O.O.F. (Durbin) $10, [illegible] Cackowski $1, Mrs. Roy [illegible] $1, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gladwell $2, Ballard D. Barlow $2, T. D. [illegible] $1, George F. Alderman $1, [illegible] $1, H. H. Hudson $1, [illegible] C. C. Rock $2, L. H. Kershner [illegible] $1, George Beard [illegible] Mrs. W. C. Smith $1, Jewell [illegible] Verle Pyles $1, W. A. Arbogast $1, Hollandsworth Graded School $2.75, Virginia Public Service [illegible] Mrs. Elmer Trogdon $1, Pocahontas Lodge No. 131 (Hillsboro) [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilfong $1, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kimmitt $2, [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miller $1, Mr. [illegible] P. C. Curry $1, Mrs. R. R. [illegible] C. Miss Madge Arbogast $2, [illegible] Dilley $1, Miss Glenna [illegible] $1, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Mal-

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## Pocahontas Wins Production "A" For Food Effort

For distinguished service in the production of food and feed during 1943 Pocahontas county has been chosen to receive the Agricultural Achievement "A" Award to be given by the War Food Administration at appropriate ceremonies tentatively scheduled to be held at the county seat by mid-December, J. Ward Wood, chairman of the West Virginia USDA War Board, announces. Barbour county also was similarly honored, Mr. Wood stated.

These counties were chosen for the citations by the War Food Administration from nominations submitted by the State War Board and the "A" award will be in honor of the efforts of all farm families within the counties. Comparable to the Army-Navy "E" award, the "A" award includes a flag and certificate of citation, which will be presented at the ceremonies, accompanied by a special message from President Roosevelt.

The flag has a green field or background, symbolic of agriculture, on which appears a blue "A" surrounded by a white wreath of a head of grain and a half gear wheel symbolizing the relationship of farms and industry in food production. A white star on the flag indicates a first-year award, and others may be added later for subsequent years if earned.

### Army Will Participate

Representatives of the Army will participate in making the awards, Mr. Wood says, indicating recognition by the armed services of the efforts of farm people, and the award will be made somewhat like a military citation for gallantry.

In determining the counties to be given the awards the nominations by the State USDA War Board were based on the considered judgment of those familiar with the obstacles to be overcome and the accomplishments. Considerations included production records, improvements in production efficiency, fuller use of land and resources, and the overcoming of severe handicaps.

Details of the plans for the program in connection with the awards will be announced soon, Mr. Wood related. Local people in the counties to be honored are planning suitable celebrations for the occasions. In a sense, the awards are recognition of the efforts of all farm people in the state, he says, and all should feel they have a share in the honor.

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### POCAHONTAS MISSION CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Rev. Wilmer Crummett, Pastor

November 28:

Boyer—Sunday school, 10 a. m., Preaching, 11 a. m.

Hevener—Sunday school, 2 p. m., Preaching, 3 p. m.

North Fork—Preaching 7:30 p. m.

## Important Notice to Journal Readers

Since it has been our practice to be as straightforward and honest as possible in all our dealings with our patrons, and since this practice has never given us any cause for regret, the Journal editor unhesitatingly makes this present important statement for your information.

On August 31 the editor was notified to appear in Clarksburg for his screen test for induction into the armed forces of the nation. Until that time he had held a 4-D (minister's classification) rating, but it being obvious from all his Occupational Questionnaires which were filled as editor and publisher of a weekly newspaper, that he was no longer actively engaged in the ministry, the Local Board at Clarksburg where he is registered, felt that a change in classification was necessary; which was entirely right. A conference with the Board in relation to our business prompted them to refrain, however, from putting the editor into a 1-A group until December 7, 1943, to allow ample time for proper arrangements.

We have now been definitely notified by the Board that on December 7 we shall be put into Class 1-A and subject to immediate call in accordance with the rules, and without further screen tests. In face of the fact that the editor never has a really sick day, and knows of no other physical reason why he should not readily pass the required examination, it became necessary for us to consider the future of our publication.

Our first impulse was to suspend for the duration, which from every present financial aspect would be the most expedient course. Then we thought of all the hundreds of people here, and the several hundred men and women in service who have been so generous in their support of our publication, and this idea was cast aside. Our next impulse was to lease the Journal for the duration. But when we considered the possible misuse of our splendid mechanical equipment, and the possible damage to the prestige of our publication, should the lessee turn out to be the wrong kind of person, we also decided against leasing. Diligent effort to secure an all-around printer to work in the shop under the supervision of Mrs. Ferguson met with no satisfactory result. So we have now contracted for the only other alternative—to maintain an office in Marlinton for handling all news and business matters, and have the Journal printed elsewhere, to be shipped in to us on Thursday for distribution in the usual manner. Therefore, after this present issue, the printing of the Journal will be done in the shop of the Allegheny Publishers, Inc., of Covington, Va.

This contract had to be signed for one year, and the chance of our failure to be inducted was one which we had to hazard, due to the fact that no such last-minute arrangement was possible, and also because of the necessity for the editor to work along with Mrs. Ferguson under the new system for a time, and to fully acquaint her with the tasks which he has always performed, and which were outside of any previous experience she had had.

Our contract agreement has also necessitated certain changes which involve the paper itself. One of these is our inability to continue during this contract to furnish an eight-page paper. The four pages which we so proudly added more than a year ago, have cost between $30 and $40 monthly, depending upon the number of weeks in the month. To meet the terms of our present contract will require every bit of money which the paper will make, based upon figures for the last two years.

The contract also provides for the paper to reach us in Marlinton on the noon train Thursdays. This will permit Thursday afternoon delivery as usual in Marlinton, but will make the Journal reach all areas served by the train receive their papers on Friday, and areas which have no Friday service, will receive the paper on Saturday.

Also it will necessitate reception of all news releases, except some few of an emergency nature, at our office here not later than Monday, so that they may be forwarded to Covington on the Monday afternoon train, reaching there Tuesday and allowing ample time for preparation for publication.

We can foresee no other affect, and thus, to keep our faith with all of you, who have certainly been kind to us, we undertake what seems destined to be the non-profit publication of The Marlinton Journal for the duration. We shall continue, as we have in the past, to bring to you in the four pages which we do print, and which are all we have ever printed locally, the latest news of all the county, modernly styled; and we have retained from the printed service the weekly Sunday School Lesson, and the Household Memos.

Frankly, the newspaper industry is considered essential by the draft authorities, and the editor's position is one of the four essential classifications within the industry. But there is nothing automatic about exemptions. To be deferred, one must request it, and such request to me is an unthinkable way out of a tough business break.

This editor honestly states that he is not trying under the circumstances to appear heroic. And certainly, with everything we have worked for and saved invested here, we are in no position to be foolish. But this editor has spoken to people here and in widely scattered areas, and has emphasized duty to God and Country as equal obligations incumbent upon citizens of character. He still believes in religion and the principle of patriotism—even if it hurts him. He does not feel that he is one whit better or more preferable than the hundreds of others in this county, and the millions of others throughout the nation, who have found it necessary to forego plans, desires, and ambitions to try to do their part to bring this conflict to an end, and to establish the spirit of the Prince of Peace in the hearts of men everywhere. If it so happens that to meet his obligation the position which the editor occupies in serving so many of his fellow citizens through his publication, makes his acceptance of that obligation affect them too, that may be unfortunate. But he feels he has a right to believe and to expect that all of those so affected will accept the necessary results of such action in the same humble spirit in which he is trying to accept them.

AUBREY E. FERGUSON, Editor.

## Archery Experts on Lookout For Deer at Watoga Park

Sixteen permits had been issued to bow and arrow deer hunters at Watoga State Park at the time of a Journal check-up with Park officials late Tuesday evening. Several more were expected to arrived during the Thanksgiving holiday period. No deer had been killed at that time by the feather-hatted archers, but it was explained that no organized hunting had yet been attempted. A drive was planned for Wednesday, a Park spokesman said.

The season for bow and arrow deer hunting in the State Park opened on November 22, and will close on the 27th. Watoga State Park will also be opened for deer hunting during the regular season next week, at which 73 bucks have been killed.

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## MARLINTON TO PLAY FOR CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

Marlinton high school's gridiron bearers challenged of the Southern division of the Greenbrier Valley Athletic Conference Saturday by defeating White Sulphur Springs, 13-7, in a play-off game here.

On Thanksgiving day the local team will make a trip to Lewisburg where at 2:30 o'clock they will meet Lewisburg high, winners of the North end division play-off, in a game for the Conference championship.

## Man Found Dead; No Relatives Located

A man identified from personal effects as Claude A. Saunders, was found dead along the road near Seneca State Park on November 17.

The deceased man was believed to be between 65 and 70 years of age, was 5 ft. 8 in. tall, and weighed about 150 pounds. He wore glasses, had no teeth, and apparently was the owner of two suit cases which were found beside his body along the Brown's Creek road.

Belongings also indicated that Mr. Saunders was an ordained minister in the Free Will Baptist denomination.

His body was interred Sunday morning in the Mountain View Cemetery, and efforts to date have not resulted in the discovery of his relatives. Persons who may be in possession of any information concerning the dead man's kin, or any relatives who become apprised of his death, are asked to contact the local state police.

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## Buckley Named Prosecutor

At a meeting of the county court last week J. E. "Joe" Buckley, of Marlinton, was appointed to fill the unexpired term as prosecuting attorney of Richard F. Cookman, who resigned to enter the U. S. Navy.

Mr. Buckley, a graduate of West Virginia Wesleyan College and Washington and Lee University, has practiced law here for a number of years.

## 36 Men Take Examination

The office of the Local Board Selective Service announces the following men have recently qualified for service subject to examination by the Armed Forces Induction Station:

Samuel Thomas Pennybacker, Arbovale
John Bedford Moats, Hosterman
Everette Gilmore Herold, Jr., Marlinton
Frederick Lantz, Greenbank
Arthur Richard Pellow, Frank
Oscar William Kerr, Slatyfork
John Gilmer Sharp, Dunmore
Allen Jack Farmer, Cheat Bridge
Wesley Sherwood Doyle, Mace
Frank Robert Wilfong, Mace
Ralph William Elliott, Marlinton
Paul Conrad Friel, Greenbank
Carson Casper Nelson, Cass
Earl William Stewart, Marlinton
Earl Reed Skaggs, Marlinton
Paul Lem Mullenax, Boyer
George Virgil Gladwell, Spice
Boyd Walter Dumire, Marlinton
Olen Winters Bryant, Marlinton
Arnold Heavner Sheets, Cass
Clarence Orshin Lyle, Cass
John Cameron Armstrong, Marlinton
Harper Edgar Waugh, Seebert
Arthur Anderson Cain, Huntersville
Algernon Spootwood Ryder, Lobelia
Arch Gray Wooddell, Marlinton
Jesse Junior Waybright, Arbovale
Harrison McKim Gardner, Clover Lick
Cecil Glen VanReenan, Marlinton
Gilbert Claiborne Kellison, Huntersville
James William Daniels, Marlinton
James Henry Kelly, Clover Lick

**Transfers**

Clay William Tallman, Arbovale
Ralph Samuel Arbogast, Clover Lick
Glenn Philip Dean, Marlinton
Everett Ernest Sanborn, Millpoint

Forty-eight were called up in this county last Thursday for preliminary examination and blood test. All were married men, and nearly all 30 years of age or older. Pocahontas county now has about 10 per cent of its population in the Army and Navy.

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## Ration Board Head Cites Changes

Important announcements concerning the rationing program were made public by E. H. Wade, chairman of the local War Price and Rationing Board, this week, as follows:

**Gasoline**

Effective December 1, all B and C gasoline books will contain fewer coupons but each coupon will be worth five gallons of gasoline.

While the change does not mean more gasoline for holders of supplemental gas ration books, it does mean that they will receive the rations in more convenient form. The new ration coupons of five gallons value will be issued with the designation of B-2 or C-2 on their face. As present B and C and B-1 and C-1 coupons run out, they will be replaced by the new higher-unit value coupons. In the meantime, outstanding coupons issued before December 1 will continue to be worth only two gallons in all counties of West Virginia.

**Thanksgiving Dinner Prices**

Restaurants may increase the price of Thanksgiving dinner 15 per cent over their ceiling price for a "comparable" Sunday dinner, if it has always been the restaurant's custom to charge a higher price for the holiday meal. The increase will also be permitted for similar dinners served on Christmas Day, New Year's Eve, New Year's Day, and Easter Sunday.

**Discard Ration Book 1**

There will be no further use for Ration Book No. 1, after holders have used the No. 18 shoe stamp. War Book No. 2 also may now be discarded, since it expired November 20.

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## N. R. Price, Jr., Writes His Outfit is "On the Move"

A recent letter from Sergt. Norman R. Price, Jr., who has spent 22 months in the Asiatic section of the war, relates that his outfit of the Air Corps moved from its former base on the border of Burma. Judging from a change in post office, he is now presumably in the Eastern Mediterranean area. He states most of the outfit lost their baggage, including personal belongings, and is traveling light. Price also told of having been through an earthquake of considerable violence, but stated the Army sustained little damage, as it had nothing to shake down except tents and great huts. Sergt. Price says that when the Army left San Francisco in January, 1942, he remarked to a comrade that they would be gone for five years on the trip. It seemed like an exaggeration to most at that time, but now he thinks his estimate may not be far wrong.

## IT Impresses ME

THAT two of our little girl friends up Dunmore way acted just the same way that we would under similar circumstances: . . . Little Mary Frances and Edna Miller, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, making their way home the other evening came full upon a large bear at the north end of what is called Flatwoods . . . And they lost no time getting back where they started from . . . The bear was walking, they said, on its hind feet, and was tall as a man . . . Charles and Orville Miller later armed themselves and started out in search of it, but found only the animal's tracks . . . Maybe the little Millers also scared it, huh? . . .

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A modern young girl, reproved for "man-chasing" was asked if she was worrying about dying an old maid . . . She answered, "No, it's living that way I'm worrying about" . . .

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DELICACY: . . . Pecan squares made the way Mrs. Dick McNeel makes 'em . . .

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WE'VE received many and varied baby announcements, but the one for little Louella Lexie Eadies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eades, of Charleston, "takes the cake" . . . Modernly fashioned in the form of a ration book, it describes the baby, and contains stamps entitling it consecutively to: "Diaper — Orange Juice — Diaper — Cod Liver Oil — Bib — Diaper — 2 a. m. Feed — Floor Walking — Diaper — More Floor Walk — Where Is That Bottle? — More! — Orange Juice — Bottle — Diaper — Better Buy a Cow! — Bottle — One Long Yell — Damn Diaper! — Orange Juice — Bottle — Help! — Vulcanize Pants — 3 Safety Pins — What, Again!" . . .

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"TAKE out a life insurance policy. One of our customers broke her arm the other day and we paid her $500. You may be the lucky one tomorrow" —(From an ad in a Kansas City paper) . . .

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THE Great Gildersleeve took his cue for a recent broadcast from Layman Davis, local hunter . . . In company with Bob McComb, Layman went rabbit hunting last week . . . Getting one up, Davis took careful aim and pulled the trigger . . . Only to find, as Gildersleeve said, that "A good hunter never keeps his gun loaded! . . . Click! . . .

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A sure cure for hunger: . . . A portion of warm salt rising bread from a loaf baked by Mrs. E. S. Clutter of Hillsboro . . .

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THE visit of our two sisters last week-end was the occasion for much foolishness and merriment . . . My older Sis, with a Navy son, must constantly be restrained from approaching strange sailors, because she wants to inquire of each one if he knows her boy . . . It's unthinkable that they should not know the most important sailor in the fleets! . . . And I promised my younger Sis that I would be glad to explain that her limp was occasioned by a back ailment, and not by too-tight shoes worn to to give the impression she had small feet . . . Residing where they have access to larger shopping areas, the girls found long-wanted articles in the People's Store, Richardson's, and Lang's Dress Shoppe . . . And they left with the expressed confirmation of all we have been saying about the friendliness of our Pocahontas county neighbors . . .

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RIDDLE: . . . Why is Betty Grable like a cinder? . . . Because it's hard to remove her from a man's eye . . .

—The Editor

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## James Williams Dies

James H. Williams of Seebert died at Hatfield Memorial Hospital, Huntington, November 16, 1943. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Belle (Clark) Williams. His body was brought to his home at Seebert. Funeral services and burial were conducted at Mountain View Cemetery, Marlinton, by Rev. J. O. Hughes of Mount Hope, Va., and Rev. John K. Fleming of Hillsboro.

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## No Lamb Shipment Tuesday

No lamb shipment will be made from Marlinton next Tuesday, November 30, it was announced by Ben Morgan, county agent. He also stated the last shipment of the season would be made Tuesday, December 7.


OUR DEMOCRACY—by Mat

FOR THE BLESSINGS OF LIBERTY....
FOR THE ABUNDANCE OF THIS GREAT LAND...
FOR THE FRUITS OF THEIR LABOR....
OUR FOREFATHERS GAVE THANKS.

LET US GIVE THANKS.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

# Nazis Wreck Northern Italian Ports To Hamper Future Allied Operations; United Nations Formulate Relief Plan; U. S. Issues Current Casualty Figures

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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**Allied Pact**—Seated around conference table from left to right, U. S. Secretary of State Cordell Hull; Russian Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov, and British Foreign Minister Anthony Eden, sign historic pact in Moscow, calling for League of Nations to preserve postwar peace.

Said Hull: "We agreed upon a broad, basic program of international co-operation. The program contemplates the hastening of victory . . . the preservation of peace and the promotion of human welfare . . ."

## ITALY:
### *Destroy Ports*

Italy's northern ports of Leghorn and Pescara were blocked by Nazi demolition squads to render them useless to the Allies for future operations, or in the event Gen. Dwight Eisenhower attempted landings above Rome to trap elements of five German divisions holding out in the mountainous country to the south.

Principal action in Italy centered on the Fifth army front, where Lieut. Gen. Mark Clark's mixed British and U. S. forces were edging forward at the mountain passes at Mignano, to gain the long, level valley leading to Rome.

Once General Clark's warriors burst through at Mignano, they still will have to buck elaborate Nazi mountain fortresses farther up the valley at Cassino, which stands some 60 miles from Rome. Because Allied troops must clamber up rugged slopes in the face of entrenched enemy machine gunners and mortars, and U. S. artillery must rake whole mountain sides to clear out Nazi posts, progress necessarily is slow.

### *Fit Italy Into War*

To get Italy functioning on the side of the Allies, Gen. Dwight Eisenhower established a control commission headed by Maj. Gen. Kenyon Joyce, formerly of the 9th service command.

Purpose of the commission will be to fit the country's agriculture and industry into Allied war plans, and to regulate Italian governmental administration.

To prevent any political party from establishing its hold over the country through military force, the commission will control Italy's revived fighting services.

Advising the commission will be the U. S., British, Russian and French committee on Mediterranean affairs, and Greece and Jugoslavia will be included later.

## WORLD RELIEF:
### *Allied Plans*

Assembling in the east room of the White House, representatives from 44 United Nations signed an agreement for the relief and rehabilitation of Europe, with each country providing supplies to the limit of its capacity.

Of the 40 million tons of food, seed, fuel, clothing, raw materials, machinery and medical supplies that will be needed for Europe relief during the six months following the war, the U. S. will furnish nearly 2½ million tons, Great Britain 2½ million tons, Russia 10 million tons, and other regions 4 million tons. Congress will appropriate the funds for American participation.

Named for appointment as director general of the relief and rehabilitation administration was former Governor Herbert Lehman of New York. Purpose of the administration is to take care of uprooted people of occupied areas until they can get back homes and land back into production.

Herbert Lehman

## CROPS:
### *Weather Helps*

Profiting from favorable weather, the 1943 corn crop was estimated at 3 billion, 85 million bushels by the department of agriculture on the basis of conditions November 1. This compared with last year's record crop of 3 billion, 175 million bushels.

With October weather good and without widespread frosts, the large acreage of late corn reached maturity in Iowa, Missouri, northwestern Ohio, and parts of Michigan and Indiana. Checking summer drouths, rains perked up late corn in the South Central states. Record yields were in prospect for the Northwest.

Other crop estimates for 1943: Wheat, 835,816,000 bushels; oats, 1,148,692,000; barley, 330,212,000; rye, 33,314,000; flaxseed, 51,486,000; soy beans, 206,017,000; rice, 69,019,000; potatoes, 469,092,000; sugar beets, 7,239,000 tons, and peanuts, 2,681,955,000 pounds—record highs for rice, potatoes and peanuts.

### *Hogs Crowd Markets*

Chicago's sprawling stockyards teemed with over 60,000 live hogs after a high three-day shipment of 128,500 head, which compared with 85,552 for the previous week and 66,418 for the same period of 1942.

As a result, packers paid the "floor" of $13.75 for only the heavier weights out of the 200 to 275 pound range on which the government has pledged price support. Packers obtained many bargains in classes for which no "floor" has been constructed.

So called "floor" prices were high on the flooded market, equalling the lowest tops since last December.

## SOUTHWEST PACIFIC:
### *At Japs' Rear*

Pursuing his policy of pinching off Japanese strongholds in the Southwest Pacific by cutting off their communications, Gen. Douglas MacArthur has established U. S. forces to the rear of the enemy's important forward base of Buin on Bougainville island in the Solomons.

With U. S. marines and doughboys standing astride the Japs' communication lines leading to Buin, they were in position to strike against the enemy supplies, and his main body from the rear.

Bougainville is the Japs' last important holding in the Solomons, and apparently they were determined to take advantage of the wild nature of the humid, tropical isle for another long, delaying action.

## U. S. CASUALTIES:
### *Total 120,967*

U. S. casualties totaled 120,967 for almost two years of war, with the army reporting 99,848, and the navy 21,119.

Of the army casualties, 13,841 were killed, 30,263 wounded, 23,952 missing and 32,792 prisoners. Since the landing at Salerno, September 9, the U. S. suffered 2,336 casualties in Italy, with 1,205 killed, 4,194 wounded and 2,407 missing.

Of the navy casualties, 12,545 are dead, 8,569 wounded, 1,209 missing, and 796 prisoners.

Of the nearly 7,700,000 men in the army, about 3,000,000 men will be serving abroad by the end of the year.

## RUSSIA:
### *Attack Last Railroad*

Russia's last north-south railway came under the attack of Red troops as they pressed forward on a 70-mile front west of recaptured Kiev.

As the Russians drove against the railroad, other forces of their army continued attacks on Nevel, less than 50 miles from the Latvian border in the north, and on Krivoi Rog in the south.

At Krivoi Rog, the Germans continued to hold open an escape corridor for the last columns of Nazi forces pulling out of the huge bend of the Dnieper river, where early Russian attacks had threatened them with encirclement.

Crossing into the eastern Crimea from the Caucasus, strong Russian forces drew up for a major attack on the 75,000 German troops reportedly massed in the huge peninsula, guarding the Black sea. The Nazis held their ground at the north entrance to the Crimea.

## TIRES:
### *Continued Shortage*

Although production of synthetic rubber is expected to total 818,000 tons in 1944 compared with 233,000 tons this year, only about 30 million tires will be manufactured to meet needs of essential users of cars, light delivery trucks, taxis and farm vehicles. Ordinarily, 50 million tires are made a year.

Tightness in the civilian tire supply will prevail because of military requirements, scarcity of manpower to operate fabricating equipment, reduction in the peace time inventory of tires, shortage of rayon cord for heavy duty tires, and the cut in crude rubber imports.

To obtain maximum use of present tires, the rubber manufacturers' committee counseled drivers to preserve their tire carcasses, or bodies, for recapping by protecting the walls and not running down treads. Further, the committee advised low speeds, adequate air for tubes, and proper alignment for wheels and axles.

### Homemade Penicillin

**One of medicine's most precious cures, magical penicillin, is being produced at "five cents a plateful" by Dr. Julius A. Vogel in the kitchen of his Pittsburgh, Pa., residence. Properly equipped, any doctor can grow his own supply, Dr. Vogel says.**

Dr. Vogel

**Plant physician for the Jones and Laughlin Steel corporation, Vogel has used his penicillin to treat external infections, with complete cures effected in more than a score of cases.**

## CHILD DELINQUENCY:
### *Supervision Needed*

During the last year, delinquency among girls has increased 38 per cent and among boys 11 per cent, Katherine Lenroot, chief of the children's bureau of the department of labor, declared.

With 5½ million women with children under 14 years of age working, and many fathers in service or sleeping days, a general weakening in home supervision is a contributing cause for the delinquency, Miss Lenroot said. More than one million more women will be needed in industry this year, she reported.

Other factors of delinquency, Miss Lenroot asserted, are lack of school facilities in war-expanded communities, and the increase in child labor to five million this year.

"There would be little juvenile delinquency today if children were treated as as much of an emergency as armament production," Miss Lenroot concluded.

## LEND-LEASE:
### *British Aid*

Up to last June 30, British lend-lease assistance to the U. S. totaled 871 million dollars, of which the major share consisted in supplying base facilities, barracks and hospitals for American land and air forces in the United Kingdom. Incomplete figures indicated assistance to date has topped one billion dollars.

Not included in the accounting, the British said, was the cost of food furnished on the fighting fronts where no adequate records could be kept, and the value of information and experience gained in battle and relayed to the U. S. army and industry.

The British assistance does not include lend-lease granted the U. S. by Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and India, who operate under separate agreements. On August 25, President Roosevelt reported U. S. lend-lease assistance to Britain alone totaled nearly 4¾ billion dollars.

## BUILDING

In the first 18 months after the final armistice there will be five and a quarter billion dollars spent on private construction, according to a survey of the nation's building needs. About 2½ billion will be expended annually between 1947 and 1951, the report estimates.

Residential building will reach the high point before 1950, and dip to a low in the middle 1950s. Commercial, industrial and community buildings will total over a billion dollars a year between 1947 and '51.

# Washington Digest

## U. S. Office of Air Safety Guards Cadets in Training

**Accident Statistics Prove Value of Regional Safety Officers' Work; Program Has Three Main Divisions.**

By BAUKHAGE
*News Analyst and Commentator.*

WNU Service, Union Trust Building, Washington, D. C.

The army air force has been around the world 134,078 times! That is what air miles add up to—three billion, three hundred and fifty-two million in the fiscal year 1943.

Just how safe is the job of a pilot? Not the job where you have to count on the enemy fighters and the ack-ack, but the job of learning to be a pilot.

"Ninety-five out of every hundred army air force cadets are going through their flight training program with no personal injury of any kind," says Col. Sam Harris, chief, army air force office of flying safety.

The office of air safety is the institution which has built safety into training programs as a highly emphasized part of the whole regime. It has three main principles.

### *Initial Phase*

The first is "prevention and investigation," and the keynote here is experience. The 54 officers who take care of this end of the work have a total air experience of 33 years, 318 days in the air. These men, known as regional safety officers (RSOs) are assigned to each air force and command in the United States.

Here is an example of how the RSO works. He goes to a certain field. He meets some cadets who say they haven't had any breakfast. He puts that down in his notes. He looks the place over, notes a ditch parallel to a runway. He orders the ditch filled, talks with the mess officer and has breakfast served earlier. Then he tackles the boys themselves. He gives them a talk on the importance of instruments. Three separate moves and the accidents are cut down there.

The second principle is "flight control." Here is where the flight control officer, traffic cop of the air, comes in. For traffic control is as important in the air as on the street. The men of this force offer a Pilot's Advisory Counsel. This service leads pilots through or around dangerous traffic or weather conditions.

Suppose the flight control officer in the Seattle center knows Lieutenant Smith is headed in that direction. He also knows that a "cold front" is moving across his path. So he radios Smith, tells him to make for an alternate airport.

No. 3 on the list of safeties is "safety education."

### *Safety Education*

Most of the accidents in training in the United States are due to personnel error—the fault of the human being, not the weather or the machine. This education comes through special movies, through manuals, through cartoons and posters.

Here are some of the slogans that help:

"Hitler and Hirohito cheer . . . when you forget your maps . . . when you pay no attention to telephone wires . . . when you jam on your brakes . . . when you don't check your gas . . ."

Other points are driven home with a little sardonic humor such as "when a pilot thinks he's pretty hot, he's usually close to burning." "To grow old in the natural way, a pilot has to use his luck sparingly . . ."

The first six months of 1943 compared with all of 1942, show these percentages of reduction of accidents:

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| In primary schools | 2.3% |
| In basic schools | 5.5% |
| In advanced schools | 11% |

And just see the table for accidents as miles flown go up!

1921-30—Miles flown, 155,818,000—accident rate, 2.11.

1943—Miles flown, 3,351,940,000—accident rate, .716.

That's how America is learning safety in the skyways.

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### *War Brings Recognition To Psychiatry*

There will be so many changes after the war that a lot of words will not even have the same meanings. New things and new thinking will appear and people will have to learn the new words in order to think the new thoughts.

Already the war has caused psychiatry to be "adequately recognized," according to Dr. Richard Hutchings, who is the author of "A Psychiatric Word Book" published by the New York State Department of Mental Hygiene and now in its seventh edition.

This is not a book for laymen but it is exceedingly interesting to scan its pages just to see how ordinary words can achieve new meanings as new thoughts about new things develop. The word book is invaluable to the doctor and many others who will be more and more concerned with this important study of interpersonal relations—psychiatry.

Let's take a layman's look at the pages of the little pocket volume.

Starting at the beginning with "a-an." Not the simple articles they look! The definition is not new in this case but shows the special meaning the person who reads psychiatry must know. The definition reads:

"Prefixes derived from the Greek and having the same meaning as the prefix un- or the suffix -less. Without; absence of; not. Cf. amentia, anosmia."

That takes us to amentia which means (1) absence of intellect; (2) a state of mind bordering on stupor; (3) feeblemindedness.

You have heard of behavior but what is behaviorism? It is "the psychological theory which holds that correct conclusions in psychology must rest upon objective study and interpretation of behavior."

You have also heard of conversion. Here is the psychiatrist's meaning of it. "The process by which an emotional trauma (that is an emotional 'wound') after repression becomes converted into a physical symptom in hysteria."

### *Practical Application*

If you think that sounds too high brow, just recall the remark: "He's had that squint ever since he saw that terrible accident."

There are a lot more interesting new meanings clear over to the last word "zoopsia" which you know all about if you ever saw "Ten Nights in a Barroom," the great prohibition play. "Zoopsia" is what we (incorrectly) call "D.T.'s." The definition is "a visual hallucination of animals or insects."

The little book also has an appendix in which there are careful and more detailed descriptions of the emotions—anxiety, fear, pride, vanity, etc., which we now know are as dangerous to our mental health when they get out of control as a flock of flu germs are to our bodily welfare.

I'll give you a definition of the one emotion which is highly important because when it gets the upper hand in politics, it can do as much harm to a form of government as to an individual.

"Egoism and egotism are not synonyms. Egoism is a self-seeking desire to gain advantages at the expense of the rights, convenience or possessions of others. It is essentially antisocial. Egotism is overvaluation of self, one's opinions, ability or cleverness and corresponding undervaluation of others."

Now, just apply that definition of egoism to blocs, political parties, nations and you'll see why psychiatry is important in the new world. The more people who understand it, the more people will understand each other.

The words in "A Psychiatric Word Book" are important words.

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### *Popular Questions*

Here are answers to three questions I was asked most frequently on a recent trip to the Middle West:

(1) When will the war be over? I don't know. I wouldn't be surprised if Germany cracked inside this winter. At least another year to clean up Japan.

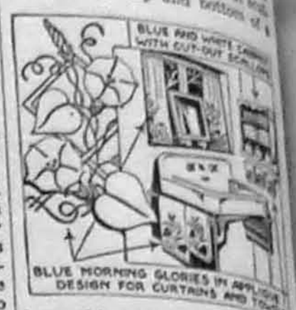
(2) What about international cooperation afterward? I don't know. The feeling I get in Washington is that there will be an honest attempt to form an international league, just as it is suggested in the Moscow conference.

(3) Will President Roosevelt run for a Fourth Term? I doubt if even he knows that either. He probably will unless the war is done and over.

# ON THE HOME FRONT

RUTH WYETH SPEARS

THE Heavenly Blue morning glories bloom indoors the year around in this bathroom. The thought of such morning glories should prompt a man to get out his key hole saw and cut out scallops for the top and bottom of a




box cabinet like the blue and white one in the sketch, and should show someone making applique towels and curtains. The mirror on the window sill is kept from sliding forward by a pair of firmly anchored spools painted to match the frame.

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SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

It was not until almost 300 years after Columbus that first commercial use was made of rubber. Native rubber articles — play balls, bowls, bottles, belts, capes and shoes—were brought to Spain and Portugal from various parts of Central and Northern South America years before the commercial uses of rubber were realized.

A rapidly growing army of more than 500 rubber-growing specialists from the U. S. is now in the Amazon rubber district expanding the collection of crude rubber and conquering the leaf disease that taken severe toll of the jungle trees.

In rubber as elsewhere
B.F.Goodrich
FIRST IN RUBBER

# HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

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# BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

About 80 per cent of Maine's potatoes are grown in a single county—Aroostook—in the northernmost part of the state.

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When Maxwell Anderson's play, "The Eve of St. Mark," opened in Stockholm recently, it received the best Swedish reviews for years, according to an article in the Allmanheten, as reported by the OWI.

The A. F. Davis Welding Library has been established at Ohio State university, Columbus, Ohio.

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One of the favorite jokes of Germans in oft-bombed regions is: "During last night's raid on western Germany, 88 bombers were shot down. One of our fighters failed to return. One of our towns is missing."

# GRASSROOTS

by WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

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**CENTRAL GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED STATES**

FOR SOME 150 YEARS we Americans have thought of government as that of our town, our county, or our state. Our interests lay in the race for such offices as sheriff and board of supervisors, for mayor and council, for members of the state legislature and governor. We elected congressmen and senators to represent us in Washington at what seemed much like a side show of government in which we were not greatly interested. Once each four years we got a thrill out of the contest for President but it did not make much difference to any of us which candidate won.

It was the local and state governments, not Washington, that enacted and enforced the laws that affected us as individuals. That it should be thus was decided in that historic controversy between Jefferson and Hamilton during the two terms Washington served as the nation's first President. Jefferson demanded the right of the people to local self government. Hamilton would centralize government at the nation's capital. So bitter was the contest it almost resulted in a small civil war before Jefferson was successful and the people had settled down to those self governing rights their champion had won for them.

That was for the first 150 years only. Today Washington is no longer a governmental side show. It has become the "big top" with Hamilton policies dominating. Our state, county and town governments have largely become useless appendages. We are directed and regulated by the federal government. Washington tells us what to do, what to eat, what to raise on our farms, what we may buy and at what price, how we will heat our homes, how much wages we may have and how many hours we may work in a week, for what we may use gasoline and hundreds of other things that affect each of us as individuals.

While some of these are a result of the wartime emergency many were in effect before Pearl Harbor and will continue when the war is over. They represent a new conception of government to which we have not become accustomed.

To get us back to those days of Jeffersonian local self government, to get us away from the Hamiltonian policies, to re-establish the place of the state, the county and the town, depends, not upon whom we elect as governor of the state, as sheriff of the county or mayor of the town, but upon the men we Americans collectively send to Washington as congressmen and senators. They are today the important cogs in our governmental machinery.

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**SELFISHNESS AND THE WAR EFFORT**

THE WAR has not cured us of what has become a dominant American trait, selfishness. We are, each of us, for an all-out war effort on the part of the other fellow. When it comes to government handouts we are opposed to all except those that benefit us as individuals, our group or our section. Legislation that will benefit us, regardless of its effect on others or on the nation generally, should be enacted by congress. Each of us wishes to be the white-haired favorite child. The merits of a congressman are judged by the amount of federal bacon he brings home to the people of his district. State governors meet to determine the needs of the nation and each "views with alarm" all activities other than those favorable to his state. It may have always been thus in some degree but never before to the extent of today. The government, including congress, has listened to groups until these groups dominate us as a nation. Such actions have fed and enlarged our American trait of selfishness until we are in danger of being consumed by it.

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**SIMPLIFY TAX REPORTS**

ONE WAY to make possible the collection of larger income taxes is for congress, the treasury department, or whoever prepares what are called instructions for filling out income tax reports, to make them sufficiently intelligible for the average person to understand. The instructions I received early in September about reporting probable income for 1943 were about as clear as mud. I paid a tax expert to decipher them for me. I would more cheerfully have paid the cost of that expert advice as additional income taxes. Washington seems to think a complicated statement would not be in keeping with the dignity of government and so makes the employment of tax experts necessary.

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THERE IS a small percentage of officers in the armed services with whom other jobs, supported from dollars they who are not a cents in the dollars they want.

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WE HEAR much of sovereignty but the average individual is more interested in a practical method of obtaining world peace.

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THE AMERICAN FARMER is doing his best to produce food for the world despite handicaps imposed by government.

# The Washington MERRY-GO-ROUND

by DREW PEARSON

Washington, D. C.

**GOOD WORD ON EGGS**

If you like eggs—fried, scrambled, or Easter—this may interest you.

The high price of eggs will soon come tumbling down. This Humpty-Dumpty event will be brought about by the sale of five million cases of government eggs.

War Food administration, responding to the prodding of critics, admits that it was putting too many eggs in one basket, for military and lend-lease requirements, at the expense of civilian requirements.

Release of this tremendous quantity of eggs won't alarm the housewife, but worries War Food experts because it might discourage production for next year.

Meantime, War Food and OPA are rowing over the price to be paid for these five million cans of cold storage eggs. WFA officials, protecting the producers, want a higher price for cold storage eggs than fresh eggs.

OPA, thinking of the housewife, says: "This is the first time we ever heard that eggs become more valuable as they get older!"

But War Food stands firm on the principle that the old eggs should bring more money. Their reason is that the old eggs were stored by dealers who were playing the usual seasonal game of holding for a rise in price, without realizing that the government was going to step in and take over at the fixed price.

In other words, War Food experts are trying to hand dealers some of the speculative profit they might have gotten, while OPA—trying to protect the consumer—wants to hold the price down.

The inside government egg debate is still raging.

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**COLD WINTER AHEAD**

Whatever you burn this winter—oil or coal—it is still going to be cold.

The public has the impression that it is only coal which is short now. Actually, oil is even shorter, rations for this winter being based on a 34 per cent cut below pre-war consumption.

The fuel situation is so bad that OPA experts several months ago recommended coupon rationing of coal. A warm debate followed between OPA and the Solid Fuel Coordinator, in which Ickes, supported by the coal industry, opposed rationing.

But OPA experts believed coal would be short this winter and, during the summer, laid plans for coupon rationing. In August, they were all ready to go to press with millions of coupon books.

Finally, however, the coal co-ordinator vetoed the plan. Now it is too late to impose coupon rationing—partly because there is not sufficient time to print the coupons and give out instructions to local boards; also because some coal is already supposed to be distributed—inequitably—to consumers.

Thus we shall have to rely on "dealer rationing." This does not limit consumption—only strings out the supply in driblets, making a greater delivery task without decreasing consumption.

The public believes that oil is bountiful compared with coal, and OPA is now besieged with applications for reconversion from coal to oil. These applications are being resisted, since the impression of abundance of oil is merely an illusion.

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**FEWER TIRES FOR ALLIES**

One thing not discussed at the Moscow conference was rubber tires. If the question had been raised, Russia would have been told that tires on Lend-Lease will have to be reduced sharply.

Reason is that U. S. trucks and buses are wearing their tires down to the fabric, and Jesse Jones' long ballyhooed synthetic tires are falling behind schedule. There is plenty of new rubber, but a dire lag in tire production.

Meanwhile, bus and truck transportation has never been more vital. Last year inter-city buses carried more passengers than the railroads (680 million compared with 609 million), though they travelled fewer miles.

If they are crippled, the weight would be thrown back on the already struggling railroads. Also, many places would be without transportation, since 54,000 communities have no rail service.

The army, OPA, ODT and the rubber director's office are putting their heads together to find a way out. One solution will be a reduction of tires shipped on Lend-Lease. Russia alone was promised 500,000 this year, in addition to 3,000,000 already delivered.

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**MERRY-GO-ROUND**

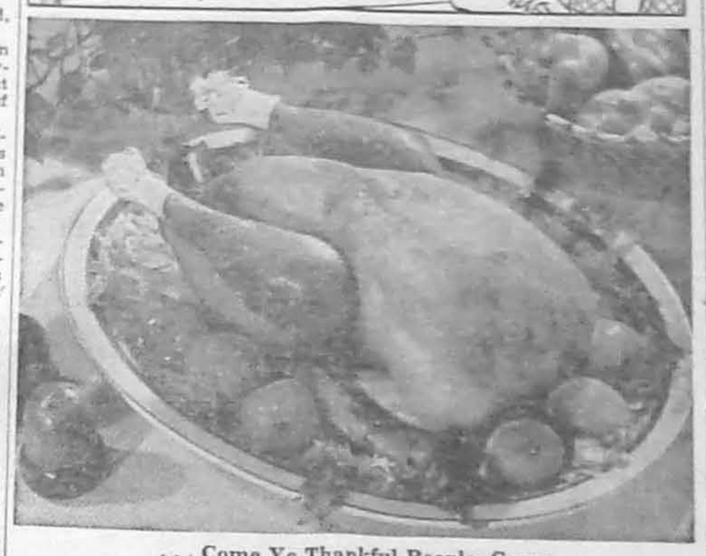
◀ Washington is plagued with an excess of traffic lights. One, near the senate wing of the capitol, is green all the time, thus serving no purpose except to confuse the public.

◀ Gen. "Wild Bill" Donovan drives a midget "Standard" car, made in England. It sells for $600 new, but the general bought it for $1,800 second hand.

◀ State department learns that one of the most distressing shortages in France is in ordinary household needles.

# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



. . . Come Ye Thankful People, Come
(See Recipes Below)

**Thanksgiving!**

Traditional Thanksgiving turkey may this year give way to roast chicken, but the feast can have all the spirit of those you have had in former years. Though your meal may be less elaborate, every food can be done to a turn, the frills may be just as interesting, and your thanks can rise to a new height.

Let the charm of your dinner lie in its simplicity. Get the most out of your food and prepare it to deliciousness. The same vegetables that you had with turkey can go with chicken—if turnip puffs or corn pudding or squash or sweet potato and apples are a tradition in your family.

Prepare your chicken with the same care you would give turkey and it will look as nice and taste just wonderful. It's easy enough to truss chicken properly so that it will look nice. Here's one way of doing it:

**Trussing Chicken.**

Insert trussing needle through body of chicken below knee joint and pull cord through; continue cord through wings. Tie tightly to hold wings close to body. Stuff neck opening of chicken with stuffing and tuck neck skin under cord. Use another piece of cord, and insert needle through legs' rear joint. Stuff body cavity and truss opening with truss pins or cord. Draw cord from legs around tail piece and tie legs down close to body.

The stuffing is just as important as the chicken itself. Have it not too soggy, not too dry, and well seasoned:

***Celery Stuffing.**
**1 cup finely chopped celery**
**1 tablespoon minced onion**
**1 tablespoon minced parsley**
**1 tablespoon butter or fat**
**⅛ teaspoon marjoram**
**⅛ teaspoon celery seed**
**Salt and pepper**
**Water or stock**
**2½ cups bread crumbs**

Cook celery onion and parsley in fat for a few minutes. Add other ingredients with enough liquid to hold together and make dressing slightly moist.

***Roast Chicken.**
**4 to 5 pound roasting chicken**
**Salt (⅛ to ¼ teaspoon per pound)**
**Stuffing**
**Melted fat**

Singe chicken, clean, wash and dry. Rub inside with salt. Stuff lightly with celery stuffing and truss. Rub surface with unsalted fat. Place on rack in an uncovered roaster, breast up. Cover with layer of fat from body of chicken, then with a clean cloth dipped into melted, unsalted fat. Roast, uncovered, in a slow oven (300 degrees) until tender, basting occasionally with drippings. Season with additional salt when half done.

Remove cloth near end of roasting period and allow to brown. A chicken weighing 4 to 5 pounds requires 30 to 35 minutes per pound to roast. A smaller chicken 40 to 45 minutes per pound.

Cranberry Sauce has a place with all fowl, and especially in the Thanksgiving dinner:

***Cranberry Sauce.**
**3 cups cranberries**
**1½ cups sugar**
**1 cup hot water**

Put berries, sugar and water into a saucepan and let stand for 5 minutes. Then cook 5 minutes. Remove from range and let stand 5 minutes, then cook for another 5 minutes. Cool and serve with roast fowl.

Now, for the vegetables. You will probably have several kinds in mind such as:

***Baked Sweet Potatoes and Apples.**
**(Serves 4)**
**2 large tart apples**
**2 large cold cooked sweet potatoes**
**½ teaspoon salt**
**2 tablespoons margarine**
**¼ cup corn or maple syrup**

Core, pare and cut apples in slices. Saute each slice in margarine until nearly soft, browning the pieces thoroughly. Cut potatoes into rather thick slices, sprinkle with salt and place a slice of fried apple on the side of each potato. Arrange in a shallow baking dish, pour syrup over all, dot with butter. Bake ½ hour in a moderate oven until potato absorbs syrup.

***Two-Hour Rolls.**
**(Makes 12 to 16 rolls)**
**1 yeast cake**
**½ cup lukewarm water**
**3 cups all-purpose flour, sifted**
**1 level tablespoon sugar**
**1 teaspoon salt**
**2 heaping tablespoons lard**
**½ cup milk**

Dissolve yeast cake in lukewarm water. Mix dry ingredients, working in lard as for pie crust. Add milk and yeast mixture to make dough. Turn onto a floured board and knead well. Roll and cut into any shape. Let rise 2 hours. Bake 20 minutes in a hot oven (425 degrees).

Your choice for dessert may be a pumpkin pie, or perhaps an old-fashioned steamed pudding with lemon sauce:

**Steamed Pudding.**
**(Serves 6)**
**1 cup bread crumbs**
**½ cup sour milk**
**¼ cup shortening**
**½ cup sugar**
**½ teaspoon vanilla**
**1 egg**
**½ cup sifted flour**
**½ teaspoon baking soda**
**¼ teaspoon nutmeg**
**½ teaspoon cinnamon**
**½ cup raisins**
**½ cup chopped nuts**

Soften bread crumbs in sour milk. Cream shortening and sugar until fluffy. Add vanilla and blend. Beat egg and combine with milk and crumbs, then add to first mixture. Sift dry ingredients and spices, add raisins and nuts and combine with first mixture. Steam for 1 hour in a greased mold.

*If you want sugar-saving suggestions, write to Lynn Chambers, Western Newspaper Union, 210 South Desplaines Street, Chicago, Illinois. Don't forget to enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope for your reply.*

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**Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu**

**Thanksgiving Dinner**
Chilled Cranberry and Orange Juice
Wafers
*Roast Chicken
*Celery Stuffing Gravy
*Baked Sweet Potatoes and Apples
Squash Puff Broccoli
*Hot Rolls
Pumpkin Pie
Relishes: *Cranberry Sauce, Olives, Celery
*Recipes Given.

**Lynn Says:**

**Conserving Fuel:** You'll not only be saving on your own fuel bills but also co-operating with government requests if you save on cooking heat. Here's how:

When using oven, plan to cook several items in it at once. Meat and vegetables, and even hot bread and dessert can all be cooked in oven. It's poor economy to use both oven and surface heat to get a dinner together.

Food should be ready for oven at the same time oven is correct temperature. Do not keep opening oven door to see "how things are coming along."

# Sportlight

by GRANTLAND RICE

WE ARE now moving into a rather strange, weird and complicated sporting world.

Many of the stronger college football teams of October are only remnants in November.

Grantland Rice

Star after star, singly and in groups, is heading now for Parris Island, a big marine base, or some other service center.

You could recruit a football team at Parris Island that would be unbeatable, given just a little time.

At the same time the draft is moving in on big league baseball.

Consider the Yankees alone.

**Spud Chandler, their star pitcher, is on his way out, unless he is 4-F, which Spud isn't. Under the rules, Spud is 1-A.**

**Charlie ("King Kong") Keller, their home run hitter, is waiting his 1-A test. Keller is no 4-F. Nor a 2-A.**

**Joe Gordon, their feature second baseman, has had over 100 hours in the air—and he can't miss.**

If Chandler, Keller and Gordon are not fit for service work we must have the super-army of all time. They happen to be three of the finest all-around athletes I've ever known on one ball club.

I happen to know that Bill Dickey, their veteran catcher, a first class flier, too old for any combat flying at 36, would like to get an instructor's flying job.

This same condition must apply to other teams. If the war remains tough or gets tougher, the call on sport will be even louder than it has been so far. And the call has been heavy.

## *Shifting Tides*

In many cases football stars, playing at one college in October, are playing with rivals now.

Tides are shifting back and forth faster than the human eye can follow.

**Is a team to be rated on its September and October form before the blast arrived, or is it to be rated on its November showing down the stretch?**

**In the past few weeks hundreds of good football players have been called away from teams scattered all over the national terrain.**

There are some good teams left. In any event the balance of power is more evenly distributed.

Army and Navy are able to complete their season without any deficits in material.

We are not yet certain whether there will be further shifts from time to time, extending through December.

This, of course, would throw the various bowl situations into something approaching a tangle, if not a turmoil.

But there are still many rougher things happening in this war.

## *All-Star Selections*

Those attempting to pick All-Star or All-American combinations also find themselves wading into the quicksands.

How many games would a star have to play before he could be properly named?

It is certainly not the player's fault that he can't finish his football work.

**To help complicate matters, the waning season has been loaded with stars—such backs as Daley, Bertelli, Davis, Hamburg, Steuber, Kane, Odell, Graham, McCardle, Podesto, Dark, Miller, Hirsch, Prokop, Field and others, from Duke, North Carolina, Purdue, Ohio State, Dartmouth, Washington, etc.**

There will be no lack of fine material from which to make selections, but some of these who might belong have only played in one or two big games.

At least all this will help to keep the debaters busy when "the ways are heavy with mire and rut."

The Old Grad had been a trifle dazed all season. Events have had him trying to face three or four directions in the same split second.

For example, we have Minnesota rooters pulling hard for Daley, who helped Michigan wreck Minnesota.

Under such conditions you can't very well blame the Old Grad from feeling just a bit curious in the cupola.

For all of these expected and justified handicaps it has been an interesting season and there are still some good games on the docket before the season ends.

## *About Bob Odell*

Miller, Bertelli, Davis and Daley, among others, are all great backs.

Bertelli and Miller have been the most valuable pair of the year.

But Bob Odell, younger brother of the Yale coach, is my pick.

**Odell, on the offensive side, is a fine, fast runner and a fine pass receiver.**

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## Harold E. Byrd of Cass Is Commissioned Ensign

Harold E. Byrd, 20, son of Mrs. Clyde E. Byrd of Cass, won his Navy "Wings of Gold" and was commissioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve this week following completion of the prescribed flight training course at the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., the "Annapolis of the Air."

Having been designated a Naval Aviator, Ensign Byrd will go on active duty at one of the Navy's air operational centers before being assigned to a combat zone.

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## Limits on Sale of Farm-Killed Pork Lifted 90 Days

To help in handling the slaughter and distribution of this year's record hog crop, the War Food Administration on November 7 suspended for a period of 90 days restrictions on the number of pounds of pork and lard made from home-slaughtered hogs that can be sold or given by a farmer to people not living on his farm, it was announced.

For a limited time the number of points required for the purchase of pork will be reduced, the amount depending on the cut or whether a whole carcass is sold. This will enable consumers who wish to obtain a whole or part carcass to have sufficient points for it, as farmers may accept points in advance of the time they are valid for purchases in retail stores, but are still held responsible for collecting and turning them in to the local OPA office.

## Uncle "Pud" Tucker
— Says —

By HOY McCUSKEY

THERE ARE SMILES THAT—

All down through history and legend, men have started wars, have changed kingdoms, have become heroes, have become villains, have fought, bled and died for the sake of a woman's smile. If they were good men they were made better; if they were bad men they were made worse; if they were healthy men they were made stronger and if they were sick men, they were made better. We have no criticism to make of any woman whether she be the wife of a President or a little ol' gal from the top of the mountain, who steps up alongside of a bed, lays her hand on the brow of a wounded soldier and just smiles.

—Pud Tucker.

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## ARBOVALE NEWS

**Mrs. Hedrick Dies** — Mrs. Mary Hedrick, 38, died Friday, November 19, 1943, at her home on Buffalo Mountain, near Arbovale. Services were held at 11 a. m. Sunday at the Brethren Church near Cherry Grove, with Rev. A. Lambert officiating. Interment was in charge of Wallace & Wallace of Cass. Surviving are her husband, John Hedrick; five daughters, Mrs. Iva Vandevander, Mrs. Mary Starks, Misses Dora, Zola and Rebecca Hedrick, and two sons, Johnnie and Fred, all of Arbovale.

**Brown-Jones**—Miss Nora Pauline Jones and Lieut. Steryl Brown were married at 2 p. m. Sunday, November 21, in the Methodist Church at Richwood.

Miss Jones wore a blue suit with matching accessories. She is a graduate of Richwood high school and Glenville State College, and is now employed by the B. & O. Railroad Co.

Lieut. Brown, a graduate of Greenbank high school and Glenville State College, enlisted in the Marines two years ago, and has been transferred from Quantico, Va., to New Orleans, La. After a brief honeymoon and a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Brown, the couple will make their home in New Orleans.

**Thanksgiving Program**—Don't forget to come to the Radio Family Worship Hour program from Fairmont, which will be held at the Arbovale Church Thanksgiving evening, November 25, at 7:30 p. m. This is a religious service, consisting of solos, duets, and trios, and a message by the Rev. Mr. Session. No admission will be charged, but a free will offering will be taken.

**Personals** — Bessie McClintic of Marlinton spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Brady Spencer.

A large crowd attended the sale at the Lola Fultz home Tuesday.

Mrs. Fannie Kane and Mrs. Tilden Brown motored to Staunton Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mabel Woods spent Wednesday night in Petersburg on business.

Betty Conley spent Saturday night with Sue Porter at Cass.

Mrs. Allie Arbogast and Virginia Hendrickson were dinner guests of Mrs. Tilden Brown Wednesday.

Mabel Woods and Virginia Hendrickson were Friday night guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hoxie Pugh.

Pvt. Alfred Ryder, stationed in Georgia, is spending a few days with his wife, Mrs. Fannie Spencer Ryder, who has been quite ill.

Ernest Riley of the Navy spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riley.

Jamie Sheets of the Navy spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Nettie Sheets.

Paul Friel passed his final examination for the Army and will leave in three weeks.

Warren Ervine received his notice to appear for his blood test.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pennybacker and son of Charleston are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Brown. Sam was called to the Army and his wife and son will make their home with her parents.

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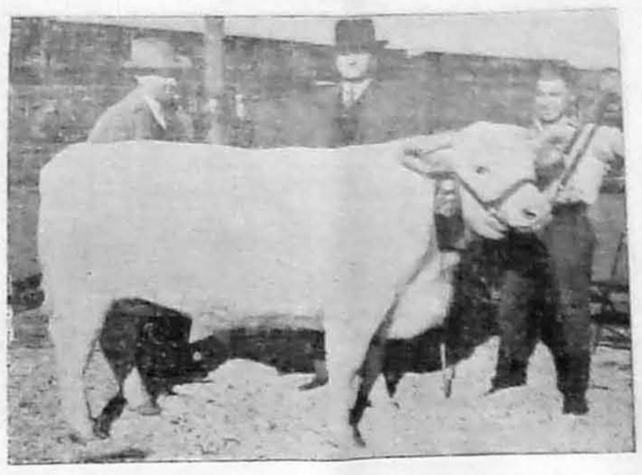

BALTIMORE, MD.—"West Hatton Souvenir," bred by Foster M. Reeder, Mt. Victoria, Md., Grand Champion Steer over all breeds at the recent Baltimore Fat Stock Show in competition with 250 calves, is shown above with (left to right) Judge E. A. Trowbridge, W. R. Harvey, Pres. and Gen. Mgr. of the Show, and Carl E. Eck, Hyde, Md., 4-H Club boy who fed and showed the calf. This yearling Shorthorn steer weighed 1140 pounds and brought his owner a total of $570.00 when sold at auction.

## LOBELIA NEWS

Tommie Barcroff received a telegram Monday that his wife was getting along as well as could be expected, following her operation.

Otto Kinnison received word last Thursday of the death of Karen Lee, little daughter of his nephew, Arnett Mace of Horner. She had been ill with whooping cough and pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kinnison are the proud parents of a 9-lb. boy, born November 17, 1943.

Pvt. Ralph McComb spent a few days recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake McComb.

Nelson Bruffey came in this week from Maryland where he has been working, and moved his family out with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hodges spent last Wednesday with Otto Kinnison and family.

Misses Marvel and Udora Bruffey are staying with their aunt, Mrs. Pearl Williams, until they finish this year of high school.

Pfc. Denzil Williams is home for a few days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Averal Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sharp and family of Covington, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Ryder over the week-end.

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## CASS NEWS

**Service Man Wounded**—Mrs. Myrtle Swisher was notified by the War Department that her son, Arthur, has been seriously wounded. He was in action in the European area.

**B. B. Hamrick Dies** — Bernard Hamrick died Tuesday morning after an illness of several weeks due to a liver ailment. He is survived by his wife and a number of children. Further details were not available.

**Youth Fellowship** — Evelyn Hertig was the leader of the Youth Fellowship meeting last Sunday. Following the singing of the "Doxology," Evelyn Galford read the Scripture. Marie Dill gave a talk on "Freedom," and Ted Shinaberry also gave a talk. The song, "Come Ye Thankful People" was sung; Bertha Lee Dill gave a talk; Bill Zop read a poem, "America's Heritage," and a prayer was given by Evelyn Hertig. The "Twos" are ahead in the contest, and had 20 present at Sunday's meeting.

**Personals**—Pfc. Denley Cassell of the Air Corps is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cassell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Shriver have as their houseguest this week Mrs. Walter Smith, of Johnston City, Ill.

Pvt. and Mrs. Oscar Dill visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dill, several days last week. Pvt. Dill has completed his basic training at Fort Custer, Mich. Mrs. Dill resides in Washington, Pa.

Miss Betty Conley of Arbovale was the week-end guest of Miss Sue Porter.

Clinton Cassell of the Army, stationed in California, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cassell.

Mrs. Ted Matheny and Miss Braunda Matheny of Bartow were guests of Miss Nellie Maude Smith Saturday.

Mrs. Mike Willhide left Wednesday for White Sulphur Springs where she will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her husband, who is in the Seabees, stationed at Camp Peary.

Earle Belcher of the Navy recently spent several days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Belcher.

Mrs. Joe Vint, Mrs. Robert Mick and daughter Gladys spent Thursday shopping in Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moyer were visiting relatives in White Sulphur Springs last Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Thomas and son Bill accompanied Mr. Thomas to Clarksburg where they spent the week-end. Mr. Thomas is employed there.

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## GREENBANK NEWS

**Airplane! Airplane!** — Excitement reigned supreme in Greenbank last Thursday afternoon when two Navy training planes circled over the village a time or two and landed in the large Moomau meadow back of the high school building, and then taxied up to the football field. School was being dismissed at the time and children vied with teachers in getting across the field for first-hand information. Old men and housewives hailed passing cars and hurried to the scene—men who had crept at snail's pace and who had been old for years perked up in spirit and trooped across the field like 6-year-olds. But as soon as the fliers got their bearings they were up and away without telling the curious crowd from whence they came or whither they were going—and (I was right there too, Ma!)

**Guest Speaker**—Rev. C. L. Nisbet of Huntington was the guest speaker at Liberty Presbyterian Church Sunday, Monday and Tuesday nights of this week. He is also an outstanding singer and folks of the Greenbank community were glad to have him in their midst.

**Hurrah for the Lantzes!** — When Fred Lantz leaves for the Navy Sunday, he will be the 5th son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lantz to enter the service of his country. Earl is with the Army in New Guinea; Blackie is with the Army in Panama; Raymond is with the Coast Guards in California, and "Jap" is with the Navy at Key West, Fla.

**P.-T. A. Elects**—At a recent meeting of the P.-T. A. of Greenbank Graded School officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Russell Crowley; vice president, Mrs. Clarence Sheets; secretary-treasurer, Miss Margaret Lightner. The hot lunch program was discussed, and on Wednesday, November 17, the first hot meal for the year was served to about 300 pupils. The next meeting of the P.-T. A. will be held on the second Wednesday in December.

**Celebrate Anniversary** — Mr. and Mrs. George Hannah celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary on Friday, November 19. Dinner guests for the occasion were Misses Leeta Beard and Nellie Maude Smith.

**Personals** — Mr. and Mrs. John Hannah will have as their Thanksgiving dinner guests Mrs. U. H. Hannah and daughters, Mrs. Ellis Hall, Misses Margaret and Mary Anne, of Cass, their daughters, Ruth, of Summersville, and Mary, of Mary Baldwin College, and Joe Gluck of Clarksburg.

Miss Lee Anne McCutcheon of Summersville will spend the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. McCutcheon.

John McCutcheon of W. V. U. will be at his home here for Turkey Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Lantz and children, and Mrs. Jerome Lantz and boy and young son of Norfolk, Va., are spending a few days at Russell Crowley's home.

Lieut. Steryl Brown of the Marines is home for a few days before going to New Orleans on an indefinite furlough.

Editor Aubrey Ferguson was visiting near Greenbank one day last week.

Geral Wooddell made a trip to Staunton livestock sale Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Taylor and Miss Gilkins, nurses from the City Hospital in Elkins, were week-end guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Taylor.

Mrs. Bardon Harper and daughter Roseann have returned to their home from Clarksburg.

Mrs. Don Wood has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hannah, after a visit at the Wood home in Elkins.

Mrs. Paul Morris and daughter Paula Jane and Bobby, were week-end guests at the Clarence Sheets home.

Carl Wright has returned to his home in Wyandotte, Mich., after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wright.

Pfc. Ernest Gum of Camp Phillips, Kans., was here last week, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Gum. Pfc. Gum was wearing a good conduct ribbon and his badge for expert marksmanship.

Navy Gunner Austin Gum was home with his brother Ernest. He had just returned from a voyage to North America and England.

Jamie Sheets, Machinist's Mate, was in for a few days. He is being transferred from Little Creek, Va., to Florida.

Watch Your Kidneys!

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Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. If kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

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# SOCIAL DOTS

• Chatty Items About People And Events •

Mrs. Ann Thomas is proudly exhibiting a lovely picture of her Ma Jack Tappan Thomas these days. The picture was one of Tappan's favorite girls to his mother . . . We also found a nice picture of William "Bill" Powell, former band director at the high school here, now of Rome, Ga., in last Saturday's Charleston Gazette. Bill has recently been advanced to the rank of Lieutenant in the U. S. Navy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Don Potter of Clarksburg spent Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week at the home of Mrs. C. M. Irvine and Miss Anna Lee Irvine.

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Miss Ann Guthrie is spending a week's vacation with relatives at Elkins, Md.

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Mr. John Gay has returned to Richmond after spending some time at Marlinton.

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Miss Edgar Thomas has returned from Hot Springs, Va., where she visited her mother, who has been ill. She was accompanied here by her father, G. E. Thomas.

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Miss Evelyn Fox of Cass spent the week-end in Huntington and Charleston.

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Jocelyn Lang Thomas and Barbara Burns visited with Miss Bly Burns over the week-end.

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Joe McElwee, coach at Webster Springs high school, was home over the week-end to visit with his family and his brother, Robert "Bay" McElwee, who is home on leave from the Navy.

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Mr. Trooper and Mrs. Ray Smith, former residents of this town, were renewing old acquaintances Sunday while on their way to Dunbar.

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Mr. Galbraith Anderson is visiting relatives here.

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Mr. Tom Trent and children of Galipolis, O., will arrive this week to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gentry, Jr.

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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. "Bun" Price are Mrs. Wilbert Tolley of Hot Springs, N. C., and Lieut. and Mrs. Harry W. Price of Louisville, Ky. Mrs. Wilbert Tolley, mother of Mrs. Price, will spend some time here.

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Mr. Paul Greenhill and daughter, Miss Betty Jo Kramer and Mr. Paul Mason were motoring places in Charleston, W. Va., this week-end.

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S. C. "Gene" Barnett, Jr., has been ordered into the U. S. Maritime service and leaves for active duty in 14 days. He and Mrs. Barnett and daughter, Miss Mary Margaret "Sis" Barnett, are now visiting with Mrs. E. C. Barnett, before Gene's departure.

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Mr. Emmons and Earl Dunn of Akron, O., are attending the funeral of the latter's mother in this county.

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Mr. Rusty Kincaid has been ill.

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## A.D.D. Club Sponsoring "Juke Box Dance"

The A. D. D. Club, girl aides for the Marlinton high school athletic activities, will sponsor a "Juke Box Dance" Friday, November 26, from 8:30 to 12 p. m., at the high school gymnasium. The proceeds from the entertainment will be used to purchase awards for this year's gridiron players.

The A. D. D. Club also wishes to express appreciation to town people for the donations which were given in connection with last Saturday's game.

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Miss Alice Waugh will be the guest in Salem this week-end of Mrs. Rose Meredith, publisher of a Salem weekly newspaper.

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Calvin W. Price celebrated his 63rd birthday Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moore of Fairfax, Va., have moved back to their home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank King will go to Morgantown to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Wade.

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Mrs. Charles Richardson and Mrs. Paul Mason were in Webster Springs last Friday to accompany Dick McElwee to Marlinton.

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Mrs. Stanley C. Morris of Charleston visited her sister, Mrs. Jack Richardson, last week while en route to Charleston from Clarksburg.

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Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Kramer and Paul Mason attended the banquet and dance of the Shrine Ceremonial in Charleston last week-end. Chase Leary, former Pocahontas countian, entertained Saturday night for Dr. and Mrs. Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McLaughlin of Greenbrier county, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cendee and Dr. and Mrs. Joe Ashcroft of Charleston, who formerly resided here.

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Ben Morgan, county agricultural agent, will leave soon for Chicago to attend the meeting of the National Association of Agriculture meeting. Mr. Morgan is also a national director of the American Southdown Breeding Association.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard H. Hamrick of Cloverlick, on October 27, 1943, a daughter, named Kathleen Joyce Hamrick.

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Mr. and Mrs. Summers Kinnison of Beaffort's Creek are the parents of a son, born November 17, 1943. The mother is the former Nancy Louise Vaughn.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McFerrin and son Garland will spend Thanksgiving in Lewisburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colson are the parents of a baby girl. The baby was named Angela in honor of her grandmother, who lives in Marlinton.

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Mrs. Little and son of Anniston, Ala., are visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Wood.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Guy and children and Mrs. Lola Key visited Mrs. Myrle Moore last Sunday.

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Rev. and Mrs. Fred Grandale and daughter, Mrs. Jane Moore, will spend Thanksgiving with relatives at Cass.

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W. H. Burkholder, Renoverite merchant, died last Sunday morning. Services were held Tuesday.

## Rummage Sale Dec. 3 and 4

The Woman's Club will hold a rummage sale in the Young People's Club room, Friday and Saturday, December 3 and 4.

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Second Lieut. Alfred McElwee, stationed in Mississippi, will spend this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. June McElwee.

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## "Strutter's Ball" Tuesday

"The Strutter's Ball," blackface minstrel to be presented by the Marlinton Graded School, will be given Tuesday, November 30, at 8 p. m. at the high school auditorium. A cast of 50 characters will entertain with singing, dancing and jokes.

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## County U. D. C. Meets

Pocahontas Chapter No. 2302, U. D. C., met with Mrs. James Bear on Monday night. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Bonnie Brooks. At the conclusion of the business session, Mrs. Sidney Wilson gave a paper on the life and accomplishments of Woodrow Wilson. Sketches from the Bulletin were given by Mrs. Anna Thomas. Prayers for "Our Nurses, Our Air Forces, and the Peace of Our Country" were given by Mrs. Brooks.

Delicious salad course was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Kitty Wiseman and Ethel Barlow.

The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Mary Frances Moore for a Christmas party, December 27.

## A.A.A. Meetings Scheduled

The annual election of Delegates and Community Committeemen of the A.A.A. will be held in the following communities in the county on Friday night, December 3, beginning at 8 p. m.:

Hillsboro Community — Hillsboro high school.

Lobelia Community — Lobelia church.

Edray Community—Marlinton high school.

Cloverlick Community—Cloverlick school.

Greenbank Community — Greenbank high school.

Allegheny-Bartow Community — Durbin school.

Huntersville Community — Minnehaha Springs school.

All participating farmers are urged to be present at their respective voting places and elect competent committeemen.

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Spaghetti Dinner . pkg 32c
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FOR DEEP FRYING, BAKING, ETC.
Churngold Margarine . lb 24c
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Beverages YUKON 2 29-oz btls 15c
GINGER ALE—ASSORTED FLAVORS Plus 5c Bottle Deposit
DONUTS Dated Sugared . doz 15c
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STORE WILL CLOSE WED. EVE. AT 7 O'CLOCK — Shop Early —

Soft Shell Walnuts lb 43c
Mixed Nuts lb 43c
A&P Pumpkin lge can 13c
Sultana Salad Dressing 33-oz jar 33c
Durkees Poultry Seasoning can 11c
Sunnyfield Rice lb pkg 13c
Cocomalt lb jar 41c
Snosheen Cake Flour pkg 28c
Gravy Master btl 14c
Colonial Honey Grahams lb pkg 19c
N.B.C. Ritz Crackers lb pkg 23c
Pure Lard lb 17c

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Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Cranberries . . . . lb 33c
PLUMP BERRIES FOR A DELICIOUS SAUCE
JUMBO PASCAL CELERY large bunch 21c
WASHINGTON DELICIOUS APPLES 2 lbs 19c
GOLDEN HEART STALK CELERY stalk 19c
BRUSSELS SPROUTS lb 25c
RUTABAGAS 3 lbs 13c
PAPER SHELL PECAN NUTS lb 43c
Emperor Grapes . . . lb 15c
LUSCIOUS AND SWEET

CUSTOM GROUND EIGHT O'CLOCK COFFEE 3-lb bag 59c
JANE PARKER FRUIT CAKE 2-lb size 99c 5-lb size 2.15

Nectar Tea An Old Favorite ¼-lb pkg 19c
PEKOE AND ORANGE PEKOE
Tomato Juice . Campbell's 18-oz can 10c
A NUTRITIOUS APPETIZER
Plain Olives . . . quart jar 61c
POPULAR SULTANA BRAND

"Enriched" MARVEL BREAD 1½-lb loaf 16c
Sunnyfield CAKE FLOUR pkg 20c

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## High Temperatures Shrink Meat More

By ESTHER N. LA ROSE
Home Demonstration Agent

Point-free, no wonder poultry is high in demand this year—turkey, chicken and duck, even to the wild game birds which frequent Pocahontas county. It's one thing not to waste a bit of the meat directly, and another to prepare it so that you get the most servings out of it per pound.

To conserve food, and fuel, roast a bird in a **moderate** oven — from start to finish. For a 10 to 12-lb. turkey that means 300 degrees, for 3½ to 4½ hours. For chicken or duck heat your oven to 350 degrees. You can use more heat for these smaller fowls, 5 or 6 pounds, because they cook through more quickly. A chicken this size will cook in 1½ to 2 hours; a duck, from 2 to 2½ hours.

Cooking meat of any kind at high temperatures causes undue shrinkage and impairs flavor.

Save all meat, bones, fat, skin, stuffing, and gravy to get full flavor from the bird. Serve chopped leftover poultry meat, creamed and hot, on toast, as a pie topped with biscuit rounds, or with mashed potato, rice, noodles, or spaghetti. For chicken or turkey a la king, give it a richer sauce by adding egg yolks, and perhaps mushrooms and leftover peas.

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## Mrs. Stemple's Father Dies

John Clinton Foutz, born May 12, 1865, died in the Pocahontas Memorial Hospital Saturday, November 20, 1943, after a prolonged illness.

The deceased was a son of T. Foutz and Sarah Broadwater Foutz, and was born at Barton, Allegheny county, Maryland. Mr. Foutz was a resident of Bayard, W. Va., and the body was taken there Sunday for services and interment.

He was the father of Mrs. G. D. Stemple of Marlinton, and had been staying at the Stemple home for the last few months.

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## FRANK NEWS

Dale Slayton who has been stationed in Missouri spent a couple days in Frank last week visiting his mother and other relatives.

Miss Mary Leader who is employed in Baltimore, Md., is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Leader.

Mrs. Allen Stewart of Cass spent the week-end with Mrs. Lola B. Stewart.

**Candlelight Service**—The regular monthly candlelight Memorial service was held Sunday night at the Frank Church of the Nazarene. A large crowd was present. Petty Officer 1-c Robert Plyler held the Master Candle. There are 165 names on the Roll of Honor, a couple are prisoners but to date no word has been received of any missing, which is something to be thankful for at this season.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666
666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

## Moses and Hogsett to Hold New Positions Here

J. L. Moses, local policeman, has resigned to become janitor at the local grade school building. Mr. Hogsett, former janitor, will become the maintenance man for the Board of Education.

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## Cochran Held in Death

Brown Cochran of near Renick, waived preliminary hearing in justice court last Saturday morning, and was remanded to the county jail to await action of the grand jury at the March term of court. Cochran is being held in the death of William McDonald, who succumbed to injuries sustained in a street fight here with Cochran a short time ago.

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## Must File Reports On Foreign Holdings

Citizens of Marlinton who own any property in foreign countries were notified by Postmaster Kerth Nottingham today that they must file reports on their foreign holdings with the Treasury Department before December 1. The notice was given by means of a poster placed on display in the post office.

Postmaster Nottingham points out that it is necessary for the government to have as complete information as possible on the American stake abroad to assist the military authorities and the civilian governments on the fighting fronts and to bring about sound solutions of the post-war problems.

Report forms, known as TFR-500, may be obtained through commercial banks, or from the nearest Federal Reserve Bank. Penalties are provided for those who willfully fail to file reports.

THE DURBIN THEATRE

DURBIN Thur., Nov. 25th — CASS Fri., Nov. 26th
JEAN ARTHUR - JOEL McCREA
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1943's Top Laugh Show
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DURBIN
Saturday, November 27th
ROY ROGERS
— in —
"Ridin' Down the Canyon"

CASS Mon., Nov. 29th — DURBIN Tues., Nov. 30th
Lena Horne - Bill Robinson
— in —
"STORMY WEATHER"
AN ALL-NEGRO CAST

DURBIN Thur., Dec. 2nd — CASS Fri., Dec. 3rd
— Double Feature —
THE DAGWOODS—IN
"It's a Great Life"
AND—ROACH COMEDY
"The McGuerins From Brooklyn"

## 2-Hour Salute to Yanks and Their Families

Ginny Simms (above) gives with the dulcet tones during Thanksgiving broadcast.

Robert Young (opposite) will emcee the two-hour Elgin-sponsored extravaganza of comedy, drama and music.

Burgess and McCarthy (upper left) (Charlie was released from the brig for the occasion) will lead the comedy lineup.

These are just a few of the stars of stage, screen and radio who will gather together Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, Nov. 25, to present a two-hour program of song, drama and comedy to the men in service and their families. The show will be broadcast from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. (EWT) over the Columbia network.

Other stars signed to date—and there will be more to come—are Alvino Rey, bandleader and master of the electric guitar; Jimmy Nemo, popular singer; announcer Don Wilson; Jane Ulman, soprano; Jerry Colonna, comedian; Frances Langford, popular singer; Dorothy Lamour, actress; Bob Burns, comedian; Jack Benny, comedian; Fred Allen, comedian; Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy, ventriloquist and dummy; Eddie Cantor, comedian; Bob Hope

# TO YOUR Good Health

by DR. JAMES W. BARTON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

## GALL BLADDER

If an individual does considerable belching, has occasional sharp pains in upper right hand side of abdomen, and at times his skin shows a yellow tinge, his, or more often her, physician suspects liver and gall bladder disturbance. He may have tests made of the ability of the liver to filter out poisons or harmful substances from the blood, and an X-ray of the gall bladder to show its shape, presence of stones, and ability to empty its bile into the small intestine.

Dr. Barton

The liver is the largest organ in the body and can lose many of its cells and be damaged to a considerable extent without endangering the life of the individual.

The gall bladder which holds about two ounces of concentrated bile can be distended so that it holds almost a pint of bile diluted with a saline or salt solution.

Generally speaking, as practically two of every three middle-aged or elderly individuals have some disturbance of liver and gall bladder, the need for operation of any kind does not include a large percentage of this number. It is severe pain in the region of the gall bladder, or the intense pain of gall stone colic, caused by a gall stone trying to pass through a small tube or duct, that calls for consideration as to the need for operation.

In the Canadian Medical Association Journal, Dr. L. C. McCabe, Windsor, Ontario, states:

"While I would urge most emphatically the importance of operating early in the course of chronic gall bladder disease, I should like to sound a warning against operating for 'indefinite' symptoms. The individual who has flatulent dyspepsia (indigestion with much gas formation) but gives no history of gall stone colic, or of any attack of pain that might be an acutely obstructed gall bladder, and gives no history of jaundice, is better carried along by medical treatment, not surgery. Even if his gall bladder does not empty or fill completely as shown by X-rays, I would let him go on belching and perform no operation. The belching will rarely be changed by removal of gall bladder because this belching is usually due to overeating, over-drinking, or to emotional disturbances."

The thought then is that belching and pain in the region of the gall bladder should be investigated.

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## Emotional Factor in Rheumatic Children

Rheumatism receives intensive study in Great Britain because such a large percentage of the population is afflicted. Although the damp climate has much to do with causing and aggravating the symptoms of rheumatism, British physicians give perhaps more thought to the "nervous" or emotional factor in rheumatism than we do here. Of course, all physicians are aware of this factor and of the relation of that nervous ailment chorea (St. Vitus' Dance) to rheumatism.

In the British Medical Journal, Dr. S. Rubinstein states that there are two parts to the rheumatic state in childhood—nervousness and infection. Both are present in differing amounts so that it may be impossible in one child to distinguish any nervous instability (or lack of nervous balance) or in another to detect any evidence of infection. In one the emotional factor is most prominent and infection apparently not present or occurs after the emotional factor is apparently entirely absent.

As to "growing pains," Dr. Rubinstein points out that these pains result not from growth of the body but because of some difficulty attending the growth of the personality of the individual, and it is easier to find evidence of nervous instability than of infection in these cases.

Although many physicians believe that infection is present first and causes the disturbances with secondary instability following, Dr. Rubinstein states that there is more evidence to prove that the emotional or nervous instability occurs before infection and "probably even provides the ground for the infection."

How can these symptoms be treated? This is done by removing the stresses of the child's home and school life, and by adjusting him to the surroundings best suited to his personality.

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# The Wrong Time

By R. H. WILKINSON

Associated Newspapers WNU Features

AT 10:30 on a Thursday night Inspector Les Knox called the apartment of his chief aide, Detective Al Brooks, on the telephone.

"Better barge down here to the office," Knox said without preamble. "Things are stirring."

Less than twenty minutes later Knox and an excited Detective Brooks were bowling along Boylston street in a taxi. They crossed the Fenway and drove out Brookline avenue, turning at length into a narrower and more dimly lighted street. Presently Knox directed the driver to pull up. The two officers climbed out, and the inspector directed the cabbie to wait for them, then led the way back for two blocks in the direction from which they had come.

Mounting the steps to what appeared to be a private dwelling, he pressed the button. The door was opened by a man in his shirt sleeves. Without waiting to be asked, Knox stepped inside, followed by Brooks, and closed the door.

The dim light of the narrow hallway in which they stood revealed their host to be a powerfully built man of about 40 years.

"You're Beech Tomlin, aren't you?" Knox asked. "I've come for the money."

"Money?" Beech Tomlin's eyes narrowed. "If this is a stick-up you're out of luck."

Knox smiled faintly. "Nice acting, Tomlin. But it isn't a stick-up. I'm talking about the money that was in the brown envelope."

For just a moment the big man's eyes wavered. He sneered. "So you're guessin' at it, eh? Well, it wasn't money, see! You can't pull that gag on me, mister. Now get out!"

"Not just yet, Tomlin." Knox's hand came out of his coat pocket, and at sight of the gun which it held, Beech Tomlin blinked. "The jig's up, old boy. There wasn't any envelope, and you know it. No more than there was in New York or Buffalo. Best thing you can do is toss over that counterfeit dough, or add to the stretch you'll do by resisting arrest and continuing to lie."

It seemed an eternity before the big man shrugged his massive shoulders. "O. K. You win. But damned if I can figure out how you caught on."

Two hours later, back in police headquarters, Detective Brooks was expostulating to the desk sergeant. "It was the dangedest thing I ever saw. Les just shoved a gun under this jigger's nose and told him the game was up. And Tomlin agreed that it must be if Les said so. And now we've knuckled one distributor and laid a trap for the others and incidentally broken up the whole ring. Boy, it's the craziest stunt I ever saw pulled."

Inspector Knox laughed. "But not so crazy as it sounds when you know the facts." He leaned forward. "The reason that Tomlin kicked in without a squawk was simply because he couldn't believe that anyone had caught onto their iron-bound alibi. And when I sprang that one on him about the envelope, it was such a shock he believed anything I told him thereafter.

"As usual, before going home tonight I glanced through the evening papers, and in the classified columns of the Express I ran across an advertisement which said a Beech Tomlin had found a brown envelope on Winter street at 4:30 this afternoon, and that anyone who could identify the valuable contents could have it by calling at the address we visited tonight.

"It sounded all right, except for one thing—something that led me to believe Beech Tomlin didn't expect any one to claim the envelope, which, in turn, promoted the idea that such an envelope never existed. Which assumption proved correct, and resulted rather disastrously for the counterfeit gang. At first, friend Tomlin thought I was just a guy trying to collect something by guessing at the contents of the envelope, which made me more sure than ever I was on the right track."

Detective Brooks leaned forward, grinning. "I get it. If the envelope were found at 4:30 in the afternoon, that fact couldn't be published in the evening edition of any Boston paper. Classified ads have to be received several hours before the sheet goes to press."

Knox nodded. "Precisely. It was a fool-proof alibi. For if Tomlin were caught with the counterfeit money, he'd say he found it and advertised for the owner, which fact he could prove." He grinned. "They were almost too sure of the infallibility of their alibi."

## "F" Strips

There are four strips in the Marlinton commissioner's [illegible] ranging from the Hilltop C-1 of 7,400 lines to the Hilltop C-4 of 15,700 lines. The Hilltop newspaper strip America, now the strip's West Point, is the only one of her class. Nearly all have [illegible] during regiment present [illegible]. A few are [illegible]. These lines are [illegible] with [illegible] lesser lines and all of the same appearance. Comparison to military use is inherent in [illegible] design. The more and the more are being [illegible] of lines for decoration. [illegible] of supply, and a large number have been [illegible] in their war [illegible].

# Fashion Is in Mood for Swank Accessories and Handsome Furs

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

THIS is a season when you are supposed to dress up your basic costume with dramatic accessories and stunning fur pieces. If you have been saving a choice bit of fur, thinking that sometime it might be used to trim a suit or fashion a hat, now's the time to hand it over to your furrier or your milliner. Tell her to make you up something fetching in the way of handbag, hat, scarf or muff to wear with your suit or coat, your one-piece dress or your loveliest evening gown.

Don't throw away the tiniest swatch of fur, for even the most insignificant little piece can be fashioned into a cunning bow to wear on the lapel of your cloth coat, or to pin on the pocket of your tweed jacket. If you are clever you can make your own little fur novelties out of tidbits of seal, Persian lamb, mink or gray lamb.

There's lots doing this winter among designers who vie with each other as to who can turn out the most strikingly original ideas in hat and muff or hat and bag sets, and special emphasis is being placed upon the importance of stole-like neckpieces.

Best dressed women regard a stole of choice fur as being a necessary luxury this season, be it of the simple type to wear with one's smart tailleur, or the more elaborate sort for evening wear. Of the latter sort is the exquisite white fox fur which imparts drama to the lovely white gown centered in the illustration. That fashion is in a mood for swank accessories is seen in the hair ornament made of strands of white satiny glass beads. Following the Chinese influence, it is balanced at each side, as if in salute to our ally.

With a gray suit, milady to the left in the picture wears a black scarf fox turban and a stole that converts into a muff. It may be worn as a scarf with the ends forming a muff, or it can be carried as a muff with long stole ends. This scarf-muff novelty, so practical and so wearable, is typical of the clever things being done with fur.

The suit itself is a two-piece of gray wool soft as rabbit's fur. An especially important style message is conveyed in the black silk braid that trims the pocket and front of the five-button high-closing jacket. Chapters could be written in regard to the lavish use of braid trimming, as it appears this season on dresses, hats, bags and coats. Even the cuffs of gloves are braided. You can buy neat little cuff-and-collar sets that are allover braided, which are nice to have in reserve when you need a touch to make an old dress look new.

Ensemble sets of black velvet which are quite the rage this season team "this and that" together in such fascinating "sets" as the huge black velvet bag, hat and gauntlet glove combination pictured in the group. The hat has a lace brim piped in velvet. The bag is enormous, as most bags are this year.

You can do a lot with a little when it comes to even a few inches of black velvet. For instance, you can make a little velvet patch pocket, and in jet beads trace your initial thereon. Display this as a breast pocket on your simple black daytime dress. It is well to have a big velvet bow in your accessory collection, for these bows are worn like a corsage, sometimes with a glittering brooch or clip.

Perfect for dinner and dancing with the new short evening gowns, is the accessory set shown in the inset. The fact that it is in black and white is significant, for again a sudden flair for black and white springs up in fashion circles. The hat is of white fox fur, trimmed with black wings. A black and white fox muff complements the hat.

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# Braid-Trimmed Hats

Several of the new winter hats bring tidings of braid-trimmed hats. Perfect for wear with tailored clothes is a hat of gray felt as shown above. It is very outstanding because of the fact that it is trimmed with black braid, which is big news. The vogue for braid trims is becoming increasingly interesting, some designers are making limited use of braiding this year on everything from dresses and coats to handbags and hats. The high peaked crown of the other model shows an Swiss Tyrolean influence.

# Lapel Pins Are Made Of Colored Leather

Birds and animals are being copied in miniature done in gay leathers for the newest lapel pins. Birds of paradise are in gold kid trimmed with scallops of green and red and finished off with a single real feather. A flamingo spreads long pink tail feathers, its plumage made of fragments of kid. The parrot is the smartest specimen of all, done in green leather with yellow and red contrasts. This new leathery jewelry also includes animals, such as a big white leather circus horse, a toy elephant and so on. Schoolgirls like to wear these on their jackets or at the neckline of their smart long sweater.

## Collar and Cuffs Now Get Designers' Attention

Not long since it was pockets that were featured as the center of attraction in coat dress and blouse styling. But if you will take sharp note as you wander through fashion displays you will observe that it is collar and cuffs upon which designers are now focusing their creative genius. It will be interesting to keep tab on this movement. A dress, for instance, will be seen trimming except for glittering sequin collar and cuffs. How fun, are the beaded collar and cuff sets.

## Lace-Trimmed Calots

Both small and balmoral velvet hats are mothering lace trimmed with lace that turns beautifully to gala occasions. These black velvet balmorals are most alluring and the tiny calot and bonnet types with their mantilla like lace drapes or bits ends of shoulder Chantilly are most alluring.

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# SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By REVEREND J. LAURENCE BUSH, D. D.

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## Lesson for November 28

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## TRUTHFULNESS AT ALL TIMES

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 20:16; Ref. 9; Matthew 5:33-37; John 8:44-47.

GOLDEN TEXT—Wherefore putting away lying, speak every man truth with his neighbor: for we are members one of another.—Ephesians 4:25.

God hates all kinds of dishonesty—a fact which is emphasized by the additional commandment regarding truthfulness which is before us in this lesson.

God is truth, that is, the very essence of His nature is truth. In Him is no darkness at all (I John 1:5). Lying or false witness therefore reveals a character opposite to God. Hence we are not surprised to find in our lesson that Satan is a liar and the father of lies, and that liars are his children.

**I. The Nature of a Lie** (Exod. 20:16; 23:1, 7).

The commandment against false witness brings before us one form of lying—for it has to do with perjury. That is, the telling of an untruth in court.

This is one of the worst forms of lying, because it may result in the one against whom it is practiced losing his liberty, his life or his property. It may mean the destruction of his good reputation.

It is obvious, however, that the commandment covers all forms of lying, whether in business, in social contacts, in the home, or in the church. We might do well to consider what the Bible has to say about whisperers, tale-bearers, backbiters, and others (see Lev. 19:5; II Cor. 12:20). A man's reputation may be as easily ruined by a whispered lie over the back fence or the luncheon table as by formal perjury in the courtroom. "Thou shalt not bear false witness" at any time, anywhere, or in any way.

**II. The Practice of Lying** (Matt. 5:33-37).

The people of our Lord's day (and who can say that the custom has stopped) were in the habit of telling lies and then trying to make others believe them by an oath.

They would swear by heaven, or the throne of God, or some other sacred thing, and thus try to enforce their false word by some great authority.

The liar is always under necessity of doing something—perhaps telling another lie—to cover his falsehood. When his comfort or advantage seems to be endangered because he is not believed, he brings an oath to bear upon his statement.

Jesus taught the great virtue of simple living and simple speech. A plain "yes" or "no" is usually sufficient for the situation. Qualifying words are apt to lead us astray. The life of a Christian should be so true and above board that no oath should be needed to assure one of his sincerity and honesty.

Since not all are Christians, it is a necessity that men be placed under some kind of oath or affirmation in judicial matters. Hence we need not interpret this Scripture as forbidding an oath in court.

It may be well to say a word about swearing in general. It is all too common among men, women and children. No Christian should ever be guilty of it, or that which sounds like it. We need admonition and correction at that point.

**III. The Source of All Lies** (John 8:42-45).

The devil is a liar, and the father of lies. Liars are members of his family. Jesus said it, "Ye are of your father the devil."

Liars had better consider their "family tree" and see how they like their spiritual father. He is lustful, murderous, and there is no truth in him (v. 44). If you belong to that family would you not like to change families and be born again into God's family?

Sadly enough the constant lying of the world seems to have infected the minds and hearts of Christians. Instead of being cleansed from this worldly defilement they carry its awful tendencies into the church. Is it not too true that gossip (which is almost always lying), false witness, the tearing down of someone's good name, is all too common in the church?

The great lie within the church, and one of Satan's prime activities, is the falsehood of modern religious liberalism (so-called) which is essentially a denial of real New Testament Christianity. Jesus said (v. 42) that if God is our Father we will accept Him as the Christ. The one who speaks sweet words about the example, the manhood, the leadership of the Master and who denies Him His place as God is clearly in mind here as a follower of the father of lies.

Note that in verses 45-47 Jesus challenges His enemies to convict Him of sin or of falsehood. No one has ever been able to meet that challenge.

The claims he made for Himself as the Son of God and the Saviour of the world are plain and unmistakable. If we deny them we either make Jesus a liar, or we lie ourselves, and it is obvious that the latter is the case.

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## Groceryman Was Just Standing True to Form

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While he was showing it to one of his customers, a rather [illegible] old lady, he detected a certain lack of appreciation in the report, and cold [illegible]. "Of course, it's not a very good picture. I'm out of focus."

"Yes," the old lady replied with a grim smile, "you're always out of something. You were out of string beans yesterday."

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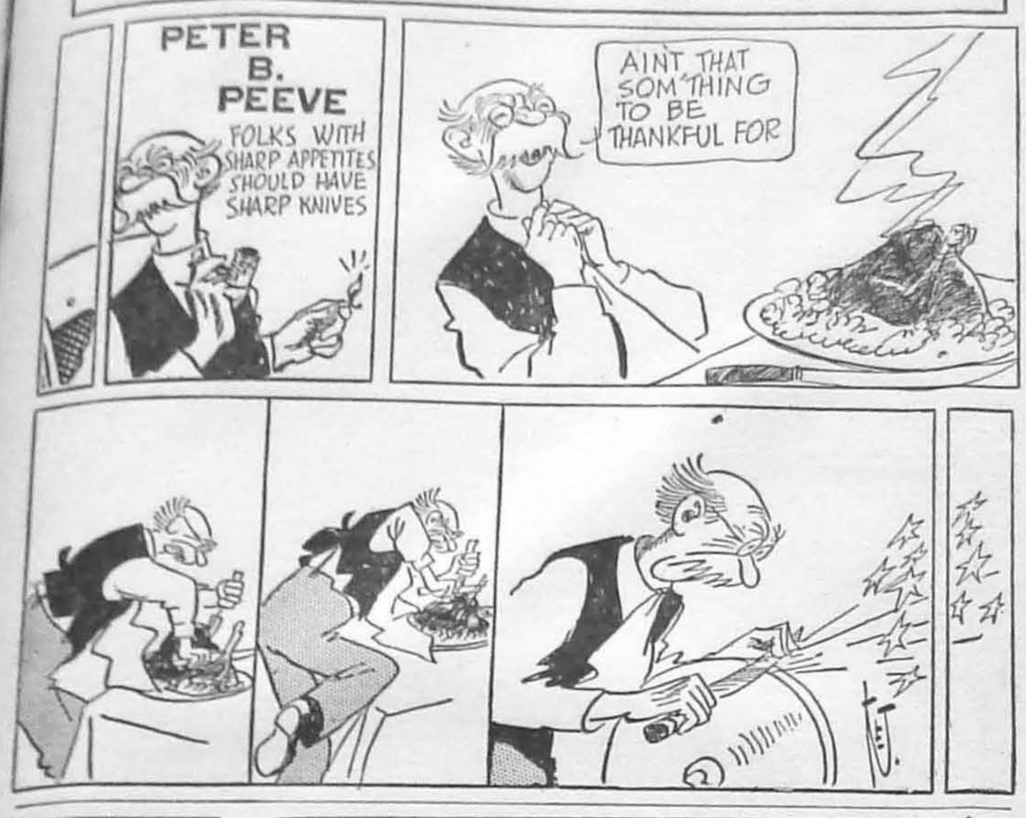

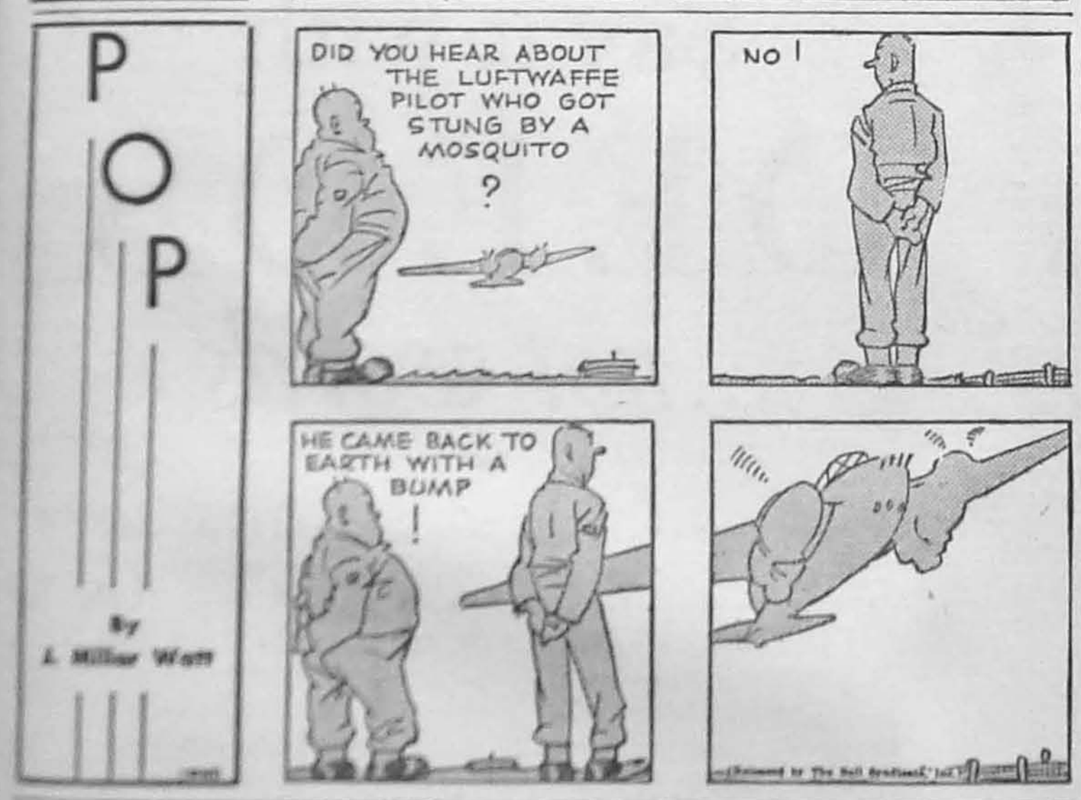


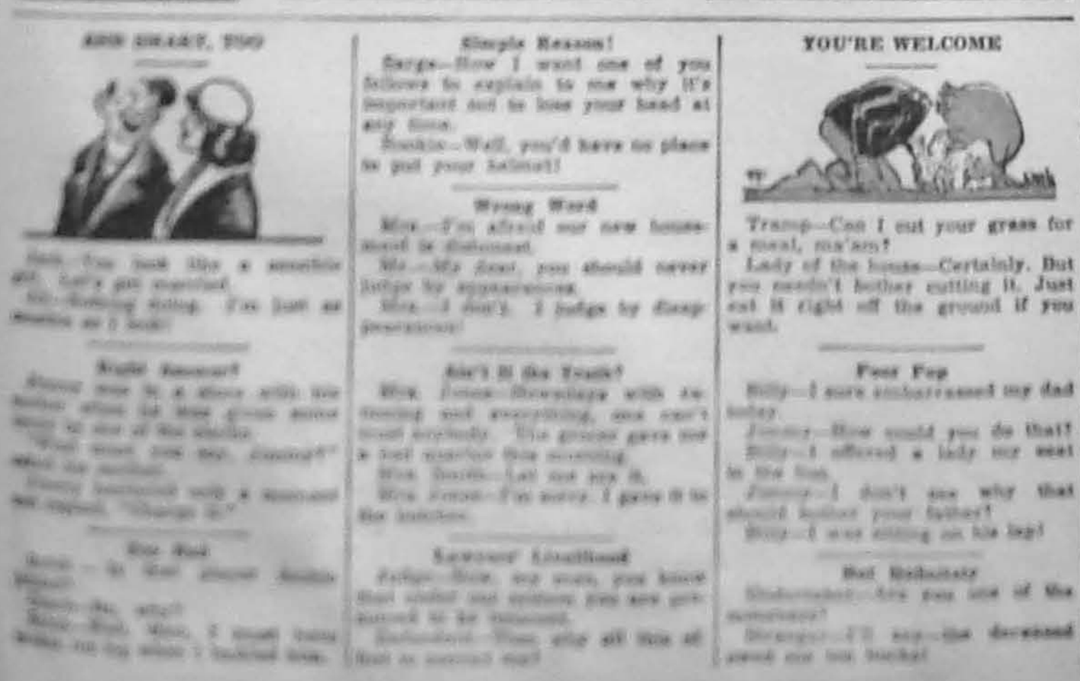


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### A General Quiz

*The Questions*

1. "Speak softly and carry a big stick" was the motto of what famous man?
2. In what war did the Poles Kosciusko and Pulaski command American troops?
3. Our planes flying in the stratosphere encounter what degree of coldness?
4. What is meant by a deckle-edged book?
5. What is gangue?
6. In what country is the kopeck a medium of exchange?
7. When did the Boston tea party take place?
8. A ship's kitchen is called what?
9. George Washington died at what age?
10. Which of the metals employed by man has been the most useful and also the most abundant?

*The Answers*

1. Theodore Roosevelt.
2. Revolutionary war.
3. Downward from 67 degrees below zero.
4. One whose pages are rough, untrimmed.
5. Rocks in which valuable metals occur.
6. Russia.
7. In 1773.
8. The galley.
9. Sixty-seven.
10. Iron.

## Aid From Switzerland

For months, Switzerland has been sending materials needed in the war effort to the United States in exchange for food, all of these exports and imports being transported on vessels of Swiss registry through the port of Genoa, says Collier's. Axis countries have not been able to stop the practice because of Switzerland's threat to blow up her three tunnels, whose rail facilities are the life lines between Germany and Italy.

# Household Hints

A discarded fruit jar ring will prevent flower pots from marring window sills.

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Unusual and colorful tie-backs for draperies can be assembled by using celluloid poultry rings, which are available in assorted colors.

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The water in which meats and vegetables have been cooked will add flavor and nutriment value to a kettle of soup.

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After polishing brass articles such as buttons and buckles, coat them with colorless nail polish to protect and preserve the luster. Colorless nail polish serves well to protect and waterproof bottle labels.

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The next time you have a shade roller to wind, insert the flat metal end in a keyhole. Both hands will then be free to grip the roller and turn it.

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Slips may be taken from a cactus plant by removing them at the joints. Plant them in moist sand and keep them in a warm place. They will root in about three weeks.

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Cellar, basement or attic stairs are often dangerous on account of inability of users to distinguish the steps or railing in dim light. Painting the edges of the treads and the railings of such stairways white will help to prevent accidents which might have serious effects.

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## DUNMORE NEWS

**P.-T.A. Reorganizes**—On Friday afternoon, November 5, the patrons and teachers met at the school house for the purpose of reorganizing the local Parent-Teacher Association. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. O. J. Campbell; vice president, Mrs. Carlon Pritchard; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Lloyd Waugh. Plans were made for hot lunches for the school term, and it was planned to open the school cafeteria November 15. The group served the banquet for the Principals' meeting November 16. Ten members were put on the P.-T.A. roll at the meeting.

**Youth Fellowship**—The Youth Fellowship meeting on November 14 was in charge of Pauline Campbell. The topic was "The Value and Power of Prayer." The Methodist congregation and its pastor, Rev. Q. R. Arbogast, attended revival services on this night at the Presbyterian church.

The Youth Fellowship meeting on November 21 was held at the church with I. E. Campbell as program leader. Taking part in the presentation of the topic, "God is Love," were I. E. and Dotty Campbell, Ida and Jane Hiner, Sue McElwee and Glena Stamper.

**Auxiliary Meeting** — The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met on November 11 at the home of Mrs. John U. Hevener. Part of the program was a special prayer service in keeping with the National Day of Prayer.

**W.S.C.S. Meets**—The Women's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday, November 17, at the home of Mrs. Corbett Arbogast. The devotional, "Strength for Our Tasks," was led by Mrs. Harry Taylor and a short talk on "Congo Women in a New Life" was given by Mrs. H. M. Moore. Following the business session a stork shower was given for Mrs. Arbogast. The hostess was assisted by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ted Arbogast. Ten members and three visitors were present.

**Stork Shower**—A stork shower was given for Mrs. Stewart Hiner by her mother, Mrs. J. J. Noel, in the latter's home Friday, November 19. Those present were Mesdames Russel Campbell, Ernest Campbell, R. M. Hiner, H. M. Moore, W. F. McElwee, Minnie McLaughlin, C. E. Nottingham, Ressie Hiner, Jack Bird, Harry Miller, B. F. Taylor, and Miss Nelia McLaughlin. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ernest Campbell, served delicious refreshments.

**Meeting Closes**—The revival meeting conducted by Dr. C. L. Nisbet and Rev. Hobart Childs closed with the Sunday morning service, November 21.

**Farm Club Meets**—The Farm Woman's Club met November 16 at the home of Mrs. Harry Miller for its annual covered-dish dinner and regular meeting. An interesting talk was given by Dr. Nisbet. The devotional was led by Mrs. R. M. Hiner and the lesson on "Hand-Made Christmas Gifts" was led by Mrs. Carlon Pritchard. Many such gifts were on exhibit. Mrs. LaRose spoke on the work of the coming year. The officers elected for the new club year were: President, Mrs. B. F. Taylor; vice president, Mrs. Russel Campbell; secretary, Mrs. W. F. McElwee; treasurer, Mrs. William Brock.

**Personals**—Mrs. Merritt Gum of Greenbank was a caller at the home of Mrs. Bess Taylor November 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rhea and sons of Baltimore spent a few days recently with Mr. Rhea's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rhea.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barlow and son Sammy spent Armistice Day with the Lloyd Waughs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter have moved to their farm on Sitlingtons Creek, after spending several months with their daughter-in-law, Mrs. James L. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Woods and children of Meadville, Pa., are visiting Mr. Woods' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grey Woods.

Mrs. Bessie P. Taylor spent last Friday in Marlinton.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barlow and Mrs. Lloyd Waugh were shoppers in Staunton last Friday.

Miss Gaytelle Rexrode of Cass spent last week-end with Miss Ivy Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Brown of Covington, Va., spent part of last week with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Grimes.

Morgan Sheets of Cass was a Sunday afternoon guest of Miss Ida Riney.

Mrs. Jack Bird, Mrs. Ressie Hiner and Mrs. Stewart Hiner of Mill Gap, Va., spent last Friday with Mrs. J. J. Noel.

Mrs. Glen Waugh of Marlinton spent last Thursday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. H. H. Grimes.

Mrs. B. F. Taylor and Mrs. C. E. Nottingham attended the Farm Woman's Achievement Day in Marlinton November 12.

Sergt. Marion Pangner of Greensboro, N. C., is spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stamper.

Miss Nellie McLaughlin of Richmond, Va., spent a recent week-end with her mother, Mrs. Minnie McLaughlin, and other relatives.

Harold Grimes who is employed at Camp Lee also spent a recent week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Taylor and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Elvis McNeer were in White Sulphur Springs

## DURBIN-BARTOW NEWS

**Party**—The Intermediate Fellowship group was entertained with a party Monday night at the home of Mrs. B. C. Townsend. Members and guests present were Betty Lou Mullenax, Shirley Warner, Mary Woolard, Virginia Moats, Virginia Robertson, Estell Hiekman, George Wilmoth, Hubert Hull, Dewey Hickman, Paul Wilmoth and Billy Townsend. The adult counsellors, Mrs. Arlie Rexrode and Mrs. B. C. Townsend, also were present. A number of interesting games were played, and a delicious salad course was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Rexrode and Miss Eva Vance.

**Club Meeting**—The T. W. C. Club of Cass held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kane last Thursday evening. Attending were Mrs. Roy Stewart of Marlinton, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dill, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox, Mrs. Lyle McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harouff, Mrs. Zermie Brill, all of Cass, Mrs. J. C. Gum, Mrs. Curtis Moore, of Durbin, and Mrs. M. V. McCarty of Charleston, and the hosts. A turkey dinner was served, and prizes were awarded for games which followed.

**Birth**—Mr. and Mrs. Lake Beard of Frank announce the birth of a baby girl, born Monday, November 22, 1943. The baby, weighing six pounds, has not been named.

**Personals** — S.-Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond J. Dilly of Columbia, S. C., were notified that they were expecting to leave for overseas duty soon. Mrs. Dilly is spending last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dilly.

Pvt. Alfred Curry of New River, N. C., is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Curry.

Pvt. Arlie Varner of the U. S. Army is spending his furlough with relatives in this vicinity.

Robert Plyler of the Navy Air Corps is spending some time with home folks at Frank.

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S.-Sgt. Wallace "Pete" Beverage of the Army Air Corps, who is now overseas, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Beverage, of Bartow.

Floy Collins who is working in the mines on Point Mountain was home over the week-end to see his wife who has been ill at her home in Frank.

Walter Burner of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives here.

Leonard Hoover was in Charleston last week attending the Ministerial Association of the Church of God.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Arbogast and family of Cambridge Springs, Pa., passed through Durbin Friday enroute to Crabbottom, Va., where Mrs. Arbogast and children will spend the winter with home folks.

Mrs. Maude Burner of Bartow was a business visitor in town last Friday.

Mrs. Wilbert Rodgers of Keyser is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cromer of Cheat Bridge.

Miss Viola Fenstermaker returned home last week from Elkton, Md., where she has been employed for several months.

Mrs. Carrie Dugger has returned from St. Paul, Minn., where she had been living for some time to be near her husband, Pvt. Cornie Dugger, who was in training near there.

Rev. and Mrs. E. N. Carlson and children spent Saturday in Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Cromer and family accompanied by Leslie Cromer, of Akron, O., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cromer on Back Mountain.

Worden Rose of Moorefield spent the week-end with his family here.

Mrs. Annie Hiner returned home from the Elkins hospital Saturday.

C. R. Beard and family have moved from Thornwood to their property on Maple street.

Jim Wilson who is employed in New Jersey is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall Wilson.

Mrs. Charles Holt of Buckhannon is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. G. Mack, and will remain until Christmas.

Mayor J. B. Gragg who has been laid up with an arm injury was able to return to his work at Hickory Lick Mine on Monday.

Frank Moore and family of Alberton, Md., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Garing.

Miss Anna May Ash returned from Kent, O., last week, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Rex Kincaid.

Mrs. James Rhodes and children of Glady were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Howell.

Dr. George F. Hull and H. H. Hudson were deer hunting in Virginia last Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Stewart and little daughter, Rosemary, of Morgantown spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Whanger on Maple street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Billingsly and children, of Akron, O., spent the week-end with Mrs. Billingsly's father, Zack Nottingham of Hopeville.

## ALMANAC

NOVEMBER

26—Thanksgiving; Artemas Ward, revolutionary war general, born, 1727.

27—Nazis break through, Rank Moscow, 1941.

28—Great fire at Boston, Mass., $5,000,000 loss, 1889.

29—Indians massacre French colonists at Natchez, Miss., 1729.

30—Samuel Clemens ("Mark Twain") author, born, Hannibal, Mo., 1835.

DECEMBER

1—First patent for typewriter issued, 1868.

2—President Monroe explains his doctrine to world, 1823.

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## Deer Hunters Asked To Give Hides for Glove

With the opening of the season Monday, it has been learned that the U. S. Forest Service in the collection of deer skins from the successful hunters throughout the state. Sportsmen are requested to turn over to the Government. Buckskin is needed for the armed forces to be used in the manufacture of gloves. These gloves demand soakings in water, and pasted soakings in water, and make them the most desirable type of glove for many purposes. Turning hides in to the collection station not only the patriotic duty of the lucky hunters, but it is made under an order of the War Production Board, which is as follows:

"No deerskins may be tanned for other than military purposes. It is illegal for hunters to sell hides from deer legally killed."

The deer should be skinned carefully and the hides should be taken to any of the deer checking stations in the county, where the game wardens will pick them up. Deer checking stations are identified by orange and white checkered flag.

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## Farmers Must File Estimate Of 1943 Income by Dec. 15

Many farmers who have never filed an income tax report before will have to do so this year, reminds Dr. Goth, Extension economist at Virginia University. Reports must be made on Internal Revenue Form 1040ES which may be obtained from the collector of Internal Revenue, he explains.

A declaration of the estimated income must be filed on or before December 15 by single, or married farmers living with husband or wife, who expect a gross income of $500 or more during the year, and by married farmers living with husband or wife who expect a gross income of $624 or more during the year. A final return covering the calendar year 1943 is due on or before March 15, 1944.

Mr. Goth emphasizes that a return must be filed if the gross income is expected to reach the specified amount even though subsequent deductions mean that no tax is due. The farmer counts as gross income all receipts from farm and from other sources, including the value of farm merchandise received in exchange for farm products or services to others. To be considered as a farmer, however, 80 per cent of the gross income must be derived from the farm.

## Sale of Lands Delinquent for Taxes

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land or undivided interests therein in the County of Pocahontas, which are delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes for the year 1942, will be offered for sale by the undersigned sheriff (or collector) at public auction at the front door of the courthouse of the county, between the hours of ten in the morning and four in the afternoon on the 13th day of December, 1943.

Each unredeemed tract or lot, or each unredeemed part thereof or undivided interest therein, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold for the amount due thereon, as set forth in the following table:

| Name of Person Charged With Taxes | Quantity of Land | Local Description | Total amount of taxes, interest and charges due to date of sale |
|---|---|---|---|
| **EDRAY DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 22a. | Stony Creek Mt. | $ 3.87 |
| Barlow, Joseph Est. | 57a. | Red Lick Mt. | 4.58 |
| Bennett, Stella | 20po. | Old Field Fork Elk | 4.00 |
| Davis, Winfield | 2a. | Brush Lick | 3.65 |
| Ervine, Mary Blanche | 10a. | E. Clover Lick | 5.08 |
| Same | 2a. | E. Clover Lick | 3.87 |
| Hannah, Hubert M. | 119a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 6.36 |
| Hill, Mattie E. | 10a. | Brush Lick Run | 4.16 |
| Irvine, Ella M. | 80po. | Brush Lick Run | 3.57 |
| Knight, Israel Est. | 9a. | Brush Lick Run | 4.22 |
| Lacy, Ben Est. | 4a. | Brush Lick Run | 3.72 |
| McDowell, Fenton | 5a. | Indian Draft | 4.58 |
| McDowell, Harry Est. | 101a. | Indian Draft | 7.06 |
| Ray, Samuel Est. | 31a. | Clover Lick | 5.30 |
| Townsend, Nancy (Mrs. J. S.) | 600 sq. ft. | Drennen Ridge | 4.65 |
| Varner, Harry C. | 182a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 24.14 |
| Wagoner, Mrs. Alice | 3a. | Buckeye | 5.30 |
| **MARLINTON SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Alexander, John | | Lot 3, B. 10—15, 16, 17 | 18.22 |
| Alexander, Millicent | | Lot 4, B. 10—4, 5, 6, 7 | 19.17 |
| Hill, Mattie Est. | | Lot 1, W. Gbr. River | 9.38 |
| Merchants & Mechanics Bank | | B. 15, Lots 108, 109 | 3.80 |
| **GREENBANK DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. | 19a. | Adj. Margaret Acord | 3.91 |
| Same | 72a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.92 |
| Anastacio, Theresa | | Lot 28, B. 2 | 3.80 |
| Gillilan, Mattie R. | | L. 3, B. 6, Black A. | 5.44 |
| Gum, Frank & Elizabeth | 80po. | Dunmore | 6.54 |
| Hinkle, L. H. | 60a. | Deercreek | 11.30 |
| Kerr, Porter G. Est. | 15a. | Near Arbovale | 15.14 |
| Latt, Gayle | 20a. | L. No. 5, Near Durbin | 10.20 |
| Same | | L. 2, Alley Mt. | 6.90 |
| Mullenax, Belva | 27a. | Buffalo Mt. | 11.61 |
| Same | 19a. | Buffalo Mt. | 5.54 |
| Same | 9a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.52 |
| Price, William | 93a. | Mt. Lick Run | 8.59 |
| Smith, George | 30a. | Leatherbark | 6.90 |
| Starks, Geo. W. | 25a. | Houchin Run | 4.02 |
| Varner, Mrs. Hattie V. | 2a. | B. Alley Mt. | 5.72 |
| Varner, John and Hattie | 26a. | B. Alley Mt. | 5.04 |
| Widney, H. M. | 1a. | Greenbrier River | 3.70 |
| **CASS SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Berda, John | | 4,800 Sq. Ft. | 9.58 |
| **HUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 16a. | Thorny Creek | 3.93 |
| Curry, Clarence C. | 12a. | Frost | 8.12 |
| Same | 50 sq. ft. | Frost | 4.36 |
| Fertig, C. Vaughn | 7a. | Thorny Creek | 4.08 |
| Keller, Ethel et als | 98a. | Browns Mt. | 6.57 |
| **LITTLE LEVELS DISTRICT** | | | |
| Shields, C. M. | 36a. | Burnside | 6.70 |
| Same | 1a. | Burnside | 3.65 |

Any of the aforesaid tracts or lots, or part thereof, or an undivided interest therein, may be redeemed by the payment to the undersigned sheriff (or collector) before sale, of the total amount of taxes, interests and charges due thereon up to the date of redemption.

Given under my hand this 15th day of November, 1943.

WARD HUDSON, Sheriff

Say it with

DEEDS

...*not words*

WE IN AMERICA have a lot to be thankful for this year. This is the one great nation that has not been laid waste by war.

Our boys are fighting in the jungles of the South Seas and in the villages of Italy that our own Main Streets may not become battle fields. By their sacrifices they have held the warfront thousands of miles beyond our shoreline. They deserve our deepest gratitude—a gratitude we should express in work rather than in words.

Let's back up these fighting men in a very practical way. Today there is a great shortage of pulpwood. Pulpwood has a thousand-and-one war uses—from explosives to shipping containers.

And since this is a pulpwood-cutting community, we have been asked to cut an extra cord of pulpwood in honor of every local boy in service.

This is a small thing to ask of us—small in comparison with what our boys are doing. One extra cord for every boy who went to war from the pulpwood areas will be enough to meet the present shortage.

So let's resolve to meet our quota—and make sure that no boy dies because we failed.

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NEWSPAPER PULPWOOD COMMITTEE

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## IT *Impresses* ME

THIS editor has been used as a threat to make children behave in a great many instances . . . but over at the Jack Richardsons there is a sweet blonde little three-year-old named Jacqueline, upon whom I am an influence of a different sort . . . We share a mutual affection . . . She has been known to wake up in the night whimpering for "Aubrey," and when she comes to town her mother can always get perfect obedience by saying "I'll take you in to see Aubrey," and when she smeared her nails and lips with forbidden cosmetics it was brought off immediately by the admonition that "Aubrey doesn't like girls who wear cosmetics" . . . Triumph! . . . But last week was the prize event and cause for mother's vexation . . . Finding Jacqueline in the process of putting an awful lot of unintelligible scribbling on the nice clean dining room wall, mother asked "Who?" . . . And received the answer that it was to be interpreted, "Dear love Aubrey . . . I thank you for the muff, etc., etc." . . . See how even small girls remember Christmas when it gets near Santa Claus time?

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AND was I made to feel my age the other day, when coming out of the house to get into my car, I challenged three-year-old Jimmy Williams with, "Good morning, Jimmy, how are you?" . . . And he answered, "How you, Boy?" . . .

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MOVING is such fun . . . and such slow work . . . One does swell until he comes to that box of old photographs and negatives, and then he makes a motion which is quickly seconded and passed without dissent to sit down and look through the bunch . . . "There is that picture you took of me standing at the side of the car on our first trip . . . Ducky, eh, with foot on running board, and a 'this-is-mine' look on my face" . . "And look, here are the before-and-after pictures when I took the bar-bell weight lifters course and grew out of all my clothes" . . . (And now, after our relapse, we look about like the "before" picture again) . . . "And my but you look sweet standing there in that snowball bush clasping a clump of the peonies up to your bosom!" . . . And so on, and back to work again . . . until . . . we come to that box of books that been stored away for years . . . You know, some day I must read some of those books that I bought from all those salesmen everyone of whom said to me when I let him in that he was not trying to sell me anything—he just wanted to show me . . . And as a result I have become possessor of everything from a Literary Digest Encyclopedia to a book called "Spunk" . . .

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"ENGAGING" . . . That's what I said after a nice long conversation with Miss Eleanor Coburn the Southern-accent lady who's a guest at beautiful Hollie Manor . . .

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"DELIGHTFUL COMBINATION" . . . Jane McLaughlin's graying hair, which adds her effervescent personality, lending charm to a costume best-fitted by an orchid sweater and jaunty white beads . . .

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PERSONALS . . . Miss Prior McLaughlin of Hillsboro . . .

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REPUTEDLY LIKABLE . . . Bob Herbert, selling county game warden . . . until he catches ME . . . then I probably won't like him . . .

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TOLD I told you the one about the poor fellow who was being sent into his place by his wonder-why speaking twin his antagonist . . . He took the case in court, and endeavored adjudged him the "head of the house" . . . Now, he says all he has to do is prove it! . . .

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I have learned what makes the chicken cross the road . . . It's that yellow school in the show window on the opposite side . . .

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A Superior's Report of Creation: "Dear Pocket Money" was sent back to a Minnesota hospital last week for the spread of a pun-ish . . .

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Some day when you would be most a nice laugh . . . go around and ask Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bailey on Spring Hill . . . —MAG MINTER

## OUR DEMOCRACY —by Mat

HONESTY, INDUSTRY AND THRIFT ARE RUGGED AMERICAN VIRTUES,—ESSENTIAL IN THE BUILDING OF THE COUNTRY,—THAT AMERICANS ARE PROUD TO BE UPHOLDING TODAY... DETERMINED TO WORK, TO "EARN WHAT WE CAN," TO SPEND ONLY FOR WHAT WE NEED, TO BUY MORE AND MORE WAR BONDS, TO BUILD UP OUR LIFE INSURANCE AND SAVINGS ACCOUNTS — *AND TO*

*"LOOK THE WHOLE WORLD IN THE FACE."*

## "Smith" Not "Common" Name In Present World War

"The Smiths" have shot down 71 Japanese planes in the Southwest Pacific.

The Fifth Air Force list giving official credit for destruction of enemy aircraft includes the names of 32 officers and men of that well known family who have destroyed or participated in the destruction of from one to seven Japanese planes.

First Lieut. Richard E. Smith (1014 S. Harlem Ave., Evansville, Ind.), a fighter pilot, is the top scoring Smith. He has shot down seven Japanese planes.

First Lieut. Cornelius M. Smith (10-70 Ninth St., Brooklyn, N. Y.), another fighter pilot, has shot down three enemy planes, and First Lieut. Marlin R. Smith (Linthicum Heights, Md.) has shot down two.

One Japanese plane has been shot down by each of the following Smith fighter pilots: 2nd Lt. Earl W. Smith (1930 Walnut St., Berkely, Calif.); 2nd Lt. Paul Smith (no address available here); Capt. Lawrence P. Smith (1093 Main St., Waltham, Mass.); and Capt. Robert C. Smith (Madison, Florida).

Among the Smiths in bomber crews, Staff Sergeant Thomas R. Smith (278 Milwood St., Brooklyn, N. Y.) is officially credited with having participated in the destruction of five enemy planes.

2nd Lieut. Charles E. Smith (St. Cloud, Florida), and Tech. Sgt. Shelby E. Smith (Hope Mills, N. C.) have been at the guns of their bombers when four enemy planes were destroyed.

Three Japanese planes have been shot down by bombers in which the following Smiths have been at the guns: 1st Lieut. Charles L. Smith (790 East Main St., Spartansburg, N. C.); Cpls. George W. Smith (Mustello, Wis.); 2nd Lieut. John T. Smith (no address available here); 1st Lieut. Kenneth G. Smith (R F D 3, Great Bend, Kansas; Sgt. Martan E. Smith (no address available here); Capt. Robert N. Smith (91 Emery St., Portland, Maine); Sgt. Robert S. Smith (909 Hogge St., Dallas, Tex.); 2nd Lieut. Russell L. Smith, Jr. (36 Forest Ave., Palo Alto, Calif.), and Major William A. Smith (308 Clement Ave., Poughkeepsie, Miss.)

Five Smiths have been at the guns of bombers when two Japanese planes were destroyed. Tech. Sgt. Eugene [illegible] (Harding Ave., Kingsport, [illegible]); Sgt. Brice G. Smith (Box [illegible], Dallas, Texas); Sgt. Raymond [illegible] Smith (Lake St., Kalamazoo, N. J.); 1st Lieut. Roland S. Smith (702 North Bonnie Brae, Los Angeles, Calif.); and Major Zed S. Smith III (Marlinton, West Virginia).

One Japanese plane has been shot down by bombers in which the following Smiths have been crew members: Staff Sgt. Billie H. Smith, Jr. (17 East 5th St., Jacksonville, Fla.); 1st Lieut. Charles S. Smith, Jr. (405 Cattell St., Easton, Pa.); Staff Sgt. George W. Smith, Jr. (717 South York St., Gastonia, N. C.); 1st Lieut. Havland Van L. Smith (Daytona Beach, Fla.); 1st Lieut Wayne R. Smith (415 W. Lomita Ave, Glendale, Calif.); Pvt William R. Smith (no address available here); Sgt. Oscar N. Smith (Knott, Tex.), and Corp. Selby L. Smith (100 Plum St., Westerville, Ohio).

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## Miss Esther Grace Henry Lieut. Wm. McNeil Wed

Miss Esther Grace Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henry, of Clarksburg, became the bride of Lieut. William R. McNeil, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McNeil, of Marlinton, on Thanksgiving Day at 2 o'clock, in the parsonage of the Methodist Church at Wilmington, N. C., with the Rev. C. D. Darcliff officiating. A double ring ceremony was read.

The bride wore a white jersey dress with black accessories.

Mrs. McNeil is a graduate of Washington Irving High School of Clarksburg, and of the Simbley Memorial Hospital of Washington, D. C. Prior to her marriage the bride was employed as office nurse by a doctor at Mt. Ranier, Md. At her home city of Clarksburg she was active in church and civic affair, and took a leading part in the work of the Kappa Sigma Pi, the annual Youth Retreat held at Jackson's Mill, and dramatic presentations.

Lieut. McNeil graduated from Marlinton High School and obtained an A. B. degree at oCncord State College. He has served with the forces of the U. S. Army for more than a year, and at present is stationed at Camp Davis, N. C., where they will make their home.

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### LEAVE FOR NAVY

Glenn Phillip Dean, P. L. Mullenax, Isaac Wainright, H. E. Waugh, A. G. Woodwell, F. Lantz and Reed W. Dinkey left this county on Sunday for service in the U. S. Navy.

## Fire Destroys Two Dwellings

An early morning fire last Friday razed two homes on Fifth Avenue in Marlinton.

The conflagration started in a house owned by Mrs. Shannon Hecomb, which was occupied by the Ira Hannah family, about 4 a. m., and completely destroyed the house. Flames spread to the home of Brown Zimmerman, next door, which was so severely damaged that only a shell of the structure remained.

Chief Paul Gwinett and members of the Marlinton Volunteer Fire Department brought the flames under control.

All contents of the dwellings were destroyed. The Zimmerman home was insured.

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## Mower Store To Sponsor Party

The Mower Lumber Co.'s Store at Cass will sponsor a "Get-Acquainted" party Tuesday and Tuesday night, December 7, to enable residents of the section to meet the new store manager, H. H. Thompson, and his family.

The store will be gaily decorated in Christmas holiday fashion, and a feature of the occasion will be the drawing for War Bond door prizes, which will take place at 8:30 Tuesday night. Three War Bonds in the amounts of $100, $50 and $25 will be given away.

Mr. Thompson succeeds R. L. Wright now of the U. S. Navy, as manager of the Mower Store. He is a former resident of Clarksburg.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to visit the store Tuesday, and to participate in the drawing.

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## Four-H Club Meets

The monthly meeting of the Dunmore Mountaineers 4-H Club was held at the school house Tuesday afternoon, November 29.

The president, Cora S. McElwee, called the meeting to order. "America" was sung, followed by roll call and minutes by Secretary Dorothy Campbell. Taking part on the program were: Martha Campbell, Sue McElwee, L. E. Campbell, Alberta Miller and Jo Betty Pritchard. The meeting was closed by L. E. Campbell and Jo Betty Pritchard. The recreation was in charge of Martha Campbell.

At 8:00 p. m. the leader, Mr. Glen Tracy, invited the members into the lunch room, where Assistant Leader Katherine Campbell had prepared supper. After the supper Mr. Tracy took the club to Durbin to the show. The group enoyed a fine time.

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### WALLACE—HILL

Miss Elilabeth Hill and Mr. S. B. Wallace, both of Marlinton, were united in marriage Saturday at Charlottesville, Va. Miss Hill is a local teacher, and Mr. Wallace operates the S. B. Wallace & Co. wholesale drug firm.

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### DEER HUNTER DIES

Oscar Puckett, 43 years old, of Gauley Bridge, was found dead Monday on Alleghany Mountain, at 11:00 a. m., near Harman Shinaberry's residence.

Mr. Puckett was in a deer hunting party. An Oak Hill undertaker came to Marlinton Monday night, taking the body to Gauley Bridge.

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### W. C. T. U. TO MEET

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Hycie Callison on Tuesday, December 7, at 7:30 p. m.

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### SERVICES AT POAGE LANE

Preaching services will be held next Sunday afternoon at the Poage Lane Church, it was announced by Rev. Fred Gscendale, of Marlinton.

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### FINAL LAMB SHIPMENT

The next and final shipment of lambs to be made from the Cooperative pens in Marlinton will be made on Tuesday, December 7, it is announced by Ben Morgan, county agent. All lambs must be at the co-op pens by noon on that date. For further information regarding the shipment contact G. C. Beard, Hevener Dilley, Clay Jackson or Howard Hevener.

## Pocahontas Is Mecca For Deer Hunters

The population of this mountain county experienced its annual upsurge this week with the influx of hordes of sportsmen, who are here for the deer hunting season.

Garbed in the traditional gay plaids and water-proof khakis the visiting sportsmen have taken about all available room space in county towns, and almost every farm home has its full quota. Hotels have had maximum reservations for several days.

From all reports and observations, the chances for a kill should be very good. Farmers and others who have been traversing the county's highways have reported seeing numerous deer, with numbers ranging from individual does and bucks all the way up to herds of fourteen.

Last week's bow and arrow season at Watoga State Park, this county, did not result in a single kill for the archery experts, although they are reported by park officials to have had several shots at the fleet animals. Twenty-five persons participated in the attempts at Watoga.

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## Neighborhood Farm Bureau Meetings To Be Held Next Week

Next week, beginning Monday, December 6, and ending Friday, December 11, there will be held 14 Farm Bureau neighborhood meetings in this county. An interesting and worthwhile program has been prepared for each one of these meetings and all farmers and their families are invited and urged to attend, says Z. S. Smith, chairman of the county membership program.

These neighborhood meetings are important and they are being held in each of our county's neighborhoods so that all interested farmers may attend. Mr. Smith points out that at this time of year most of the general farm work is out of the way and these meetings provide an excellent opportunity for farmers and their families to get together for two or three hours to discuss and talk over some of their common problems.

"My observation leads me to believe," says Mr. Smith, "that the word organization is synonymous with the word "progress." This statement, I think, applies with particular force in evaluating what has been accomplished by farm organization. It is impossible to over-estimate the benefits that have and that can be accomplished by well-planned farm organization, based on cooperative intelligent effort."

Our State Farm Bureau slogan is, "We Pull the Most When We Pull Together," and each farmer in the county is urged to join the Farm Bureau for 1944. Mr. Smith asks all the neighborhood chairmen and vice chairmen not to be satisfied with just reaching the goal of 315 members set at the county meeting held a few weeks ago, but to surpass that number by a wide margin.

Neighborhoods which will hold Farm Bureau meetings are:

Labelle—Church, December 6, 7:30. G. A. Hull, chairman.

Beard—Locust Creek Church, December 6, 7:30; Remus May, chairman.

Hillsboro—High School, December 6, 7:30; Joel P. Beard, chairman.

Millpoint—Marvin Chapel School, December 6, 7:30; F. W. Ruckman, chairman.

Swago—Church, December 6, 7:30; Lewis Day, chairman.

Knapps Creek—Mt. Carlem Church, December 6, 7:30; G. M. Sharp, chairman.

Slaty Fork—Seneca Trail School, December 7, 7:30; Ivan L. Sharp, chairman.

Indian Draft—Church, December 7, 7:30; Oley W. Jackson, chairman.

Huntersville—School, December 7, 7:30; E. Clyde Bussard, chairman.

Frost—School, December 7, 7:30; Clarence Bussard, chairman.

Cherry Grove—School, December 7, 7:30; H. L. Stokes, chairman.

Dunmore—School, December 8, 7:30; John D. Hevener, chairman.

Greenbank—High School, December 8, 7:30; Howard Hevener, chairman.

Wesley Chapel—School, December 8, 7:30; Ray Horner, chairman.


IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson


### Lesson for December 5

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### THE SIN OF COVETOUSNESS

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The Ten Commandments—the last one of which we study today—are characterized by Dean Inge as being concerned with all of life, and society in the right. But they are also unique and different from all other laws in that they reach into the inner recesses of a man's heart, a realm where only God can judge and act.

This last commandment touches upon a phase of conduct that, for it does not necessarily require or forbid any act, but deals with the motive of man's action. Man can judge another man's acts, but he cannot judge his motives, desires, or thoughts. God must do that.

But man can, by the grace of God, control his motives, and hence we have this commandment and its interpretation.

**I. The Sin—Covetousness** (Ex. 20:17).

It may be a surprise to many to learn that coveting—or desiring what belongs to another—is a sin. It has become one of the "respectable sins" accepted in the best circles and practiced by many church people.

As a matter of fact, this sin underlies all the other sins against which the commandments speak. He who has a love for money and an evil desire to have his neighbor's possessions will hate, lie, steal, cheat, kill, in fact, as Dr. Morgan says, "The whole realm of human interrelations is disorganized and broken up by the dishonoring of the tenth commandment."

If you have become a lover of money, or one who longs to have what your friends own, beware. You are in real danger.

**II. The Result — A Ruined Life** (Luke 12: 15-21).

To have such a spirit makes a man greedy (v. 15), callous and selfish (vv. 17-19), and foolish (v. 20), both regarding this life and that which is to come.

The yardstick of success in the world—for an individual, an organization, or a nation, yes, even for many a church—is the possession of wealth, or property, or other "things." Write it in large letters on the hearts and minds of our boys and girls, "A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth" (v. 15).

The one who was known to his friends (and to himself) as "a rich man" (v. 16), but whom God knew as a "fool" (v. 20), had more than he could use for himself. He had to build new and bigger barns, and could not see the "barns" that were already prepared, for, as Ambrose says, "Thou hast barns—the bosoms of the needy, the houses of widows, the mouths of orphans and infants."

He was a fool who loved money for himself. One wonders what he had to say for himself when that very night he was called into the presence of God to give an account of his stewardship (v. 20). If you are similarly situated and have the same attitude, what will you say in that day?

An important point which we must note is that Jesus expressly repudiated the connecting of His name with the so-called "social gospel" in His reply (v. 14).

**III. The Cure—Trust in God** (Luke 12:22-23).

Because covetousness destroys the best in life, we ought to shun it like poison. The best antidote (or cure) if we have been poisoned by it is to go all-out in our trust and confidence in God.

We who are children of God are to take no anxious thought for the morrow. This does not forbid proper preparation and forethought, but it does rule out fretful anxiety. The reasons are very clear and cogent.

First of all, while food and clothing are important, they are not of first importance. The vital thing is that one have life. Otherwise things are useless (v. 23). We must keep our sense of proportion, of relative values.

Then too, God is the One who must care for every one of us. And He does care for us! Why not trust Him? He cares for all creation; can He not care for you? If then you trust the all-powerful One, what occasion is there for worry, or covetousness?

And finally comes the devastating argument. Worry never accomplished anything. Anxiety does not help anyone, anytime, anywhere. So why be anxious?

It is clear then that a desire for that which belongs to others is a sin which destroys man's happiness and usefulness. It is needless—as is all anxiety—because only God can provide, and He will provide if we trust Him.

Life becomes simple, peaceful, joyful, confident, yes, really [illegible], when we get our [illegible] on the Lord.

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## *Lobelia News*

Miss Dorothy Harouff, who is employed in Charleston, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harouff.

Mrs. Will Hiner, of Mt. Grove, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. George Lytton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Richards returned last week after spending some time in Huntington.

Mrs. E. O. Dill and Mrs. Julian Lightner spent the week-end in Cumberland, Md., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edmon Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Zopp and small daughter, of Charleston, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Zopp.

Mrs. Robert McNickle and daughter, Connie, of Charleston, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harouff.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Shrader and family, of Richmond, Va., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Shrader and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Thompson.

Misses Ruth and Ethel Gum, of Mt. Grove, were visiting friends here Sunday.

Ensign Marvin Dill, of the Pensacola Naval Air Statidon, arrived Monday and will spend several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dill.

Mrs. Dick Hinkle and daughter, of Pennsylvania, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nethken and family were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Nethken, of Harrisonburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Smith, of Maryland, are visiting Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. B. B. Hamrick. Mrs. Smith is the former Beulah Copen.

Miss Margaret Hannah and Rev. Joe Sluck spent the holidays with Miss Hannah's mother, Mrs. U. H. Hannah.

Woodrow Hamrick, of the army, who has been stationed in Alaska for the past three years, was called home due to the death of his father, Mr. Bernard Hamrick.

Ted and Lewis Shinaberry left Saturday for Ellicott City, Md., where they will join their parents who reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shrader, of Richmond, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Shrader.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thompson moved here Monday from Clarksburg. Mr. Thompson will be the manager of the Mower Lumber Co.'s store.

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## *Dunmore News*

**4-H Club Meeting**—The Flying Eagles 4-H Club met November 25, at 7:30 P. M., at the home of Virginia Lee Hevener. The meeting was opened by the president, Chas. McElwee. Following the business session a devotional was given by the leader, Mrs. R. M. Hiner. The program was in charge of Roberta Jane Hiner and the topic used was "Thanksgiving." Each member answered the roll call by giving something they were thankful for. The program opened by the group singing "America."

Poem: "Thanksgiving Day," Jane Hiner. Talk: "The Pilgrims," Pauline Campbell. Talk: "The First Thanksgiving," Glenna Stamper. Talk: "Famous Person of the Month, Marie Curie," by Ida Hiner. Poem: "Father, We Thank Thee," Virginia Lee Hevener. Song: "America, the Beautiful," by the group.

Following the program games were played. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. John U. Hevener.

**Study Class**—The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday afternoon, November 24, with Mrs. Bess Taylor to finish the study book "We Who Are America."

**Youth Fellowship Entertains**—The Youth Fellowship Group of the Methodist Church entertained the Young Peoples and Intermediate Classes of the Presbyterian Church, Friday night, November 26, at the home of their adult counsellor, Mrs. B. F. Taylor. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Hobart Childs, Mesdames B. F. Taylor, W. F. McElwee, R. M. Hiner, Carlon Pritchard, Misses Clo Corbett, Dorothy, Martha, Pauline, Eolyn Katherine and Wanda Campbell, Dorothy Gregg, Margaret and Uldine Hively, Jo Betty Pritchard, Jane and Ida Hiner, Glenna Stamper, Edna McLaughlin, Cora Sue McElwee, Messrs. Tommy and Jim Pritchard, Franklin Noel, Stirl and Lee Hively, Bob Waugh, Charles McElwee, L. E. Campbell, Sammy Barlow, Earl McLaughlin, George Pritchard.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie, whipped cream and hot cocoa were served.

**Personals** — Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Woods were: Mrs. Fay Woods and sons, Jean and Jimmy, of Meadville, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hiner and daughters, Roberta and Ida.

Calvin, Nancy and Margaret Barlow, children of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Barlow, who attend school at Romney, W. Va., spent Thanksgiving holidays with their parents.

Robert Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller, and William Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Perry, who have finished their "boot" training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, are spending a 9-day furlough with home folks.

Mrs. W. F. McElwee and daughter, Cora Sue, spent Thursday night, November 25, with their aunt, Mrs. Grace Moore, of Minnehaha Springs.

Mrs. John Pritchard, who has been ill, is much improved.

Sgt. and Mrs. Pershing Arbogast, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, are visiting Sgt. Arbogast's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Arbogast, and other relatives.

Mrs. Vera Fitzgerald, who has been visiting friends in Morgantown, returned home last week.

Mrs. Glen Waugh, of Marlinton, and David Grimes, of Jane Lew, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Grimes.

Mrs. John U. Hevener and daughter, Virginia Lee, were shopping in Elkins, Friday, November 26.

Johnny Hevener spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his grandfather, John U. Hevener, of Clover Lick.

Shoppers in Marlinton Friday were: T. H. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Taylor, Mrs. Lloyd Waugh, Mrs. Russell Campbell, Mrs. W. F. McElwee and daughter, Cora Lee, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hiner, Jane and Ida Hiner.

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# SOCIAL DOTS

Chatty Items About People and Events

Little Sandra Kershner entertained several of her young friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Kershner, on Thanksgiving Day, in honor of her birthday.

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The Young Peoples Club of Marlinton was the scene of a Thanksgiving party last Thursday night. Miss Lois Brill was in charge of the games; Miss Betty Jo Kramer and Miss Jo Cameron Callison were in charge of refreshments; Ray Viers and Marvin Anderson were the decorations committee, and carried out a color scheme of red, white and blue. Coca-Cola, sandwiches and potato chips were served to the guests.

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A "Juke Box Dance," sponsored by the A. D. D. Club of Marlinton High School Monday night, was well attended by local students and members of the college group who were home for the holidays. Miss Edith May was the chaperone.

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Members of a local group who enjoy an annual turkey dinner will meet this year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sheets. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cochran, Mrs. Lucille Eickefoose, Miss Kitty Wiseman, Mrs. Edith LaRue and Cecil Burdette, of Ronceverte.

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Rose Ann McGinley, fellow student at W. V. U., accompanied Miss Dotty Weiford to her home here for the holidays.

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Rambling Reporter: Keeping a birthday and Thanksgiving dinner date with her husband this week was Mrs. Tom Rymer, attractively attired in a new blue coat, tuxedo style, opossum trimmed . . . Miss Thelma Williams, teacher in Rainelle schools, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams, here, makes a striking picture in her all-black costume . . . Little Agnes Hannah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Huston Simmons, who, with her mother, is visiting her soldier father in Michigan, is reported to have a severe cold . . . Elizabeth Cochran, of Washington, D. C., looked lovely in a black tuxedo coat trimmed in muskrat while on a visit with her mother, Mrs. Emma Cochran, here—(brother Bill Cochran, of Pittsburgh, Pa., also was at home here) . . . The Floyd Viers family and the W. T. Walkers, of Hillsboro, spent Thanksgiving together here.

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Miss Edna Preston, principal of a ten-room grade school in Huntington, was a guest at the home of Mrs. Esther N. LaRose over the week-end.

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The Marlniton High School Band, sponsors of the motion picture, "China," at the Alpine Theatre last week, cleared $104.00 from the sale of tickets.

Miss Edith May, director, expresses her appreciation to the members of the band and to all citizens for their generous support in this effort.

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Dr. S. B. Wallace is reported to be improving in the hospital at Charlottesville, Va.

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Carlisle Wade and two young sons, of Morgantown, were here last week visiting his father, E. H. Wade.

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Daily papers last week made mention of the fact that a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Daetwyler, local residents, has capably passed former examinations and will now enter the Army Air Force pre-flight school at Maxwell Field, Ala., for instruction in the third phase of his pilot training.

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Mrs. Lucy Clark had as Thanksgiving dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Summers Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mason.

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Mrs. Williams Harper will return to Marlinton Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Anerich, of Elizabeth. Her parents will accompany her here.

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Mrs. Walter Jett and young son are visiting with her parents in West Union.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harper visited in Buckhannon this week, where Mrs. Harper remained. She will return to Marlinton Sunday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fowler. Mr. Fowler will join the ranks of deer hunters in Pocahontas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parsons will go to Bluefield on business over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hebb, of Youngstown, Ohio, are visiting in Pocahontas County, where Mr. Hebb will hunt deer. Mrs. Hebb was a former teacher in county schools.

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A bouquet for honesty goes to Miss Louise Sharp, whom we observed returning a sum of money which had been given to her by mistake in a local business place.

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Wallace Rohrbough, of Elkins, has been the guest of Miss Patty Stemple, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Stemple.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mirle Irvine, of Lewisburg, and son, Bill, the latter a military student at W. V. U., were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Miss Margaret Irvine here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elden Friel are the parents of a baby girl born Wednesday, November 24, 1943.

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On Tuesday, November 23, at 6:30 P. M., a dinner was served by Mrs. Ward R. Barlow in honor of her husband's birthday. This came as a complete surprise to Mr. Barlow. The table center piece was a large decorated birthday cake lighted with candles. The dinner guests included the honor guest, Ward R. Barlow, and the following invited guests: Carl L. Sheets, Frank King, James Bear, Roy Devers and Harry Cochran, Mrs. Lena M. Barlow and Miss Ethel Barlow and Richard and Bobby Barlow, Mr. Barlow's small sons.

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Miss Nancy McNeel, of Hillsboro, has returned to Charleston after spending the Thanksgiving holidays at her home in Hillsboro.

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Mrs. Hulda Mark was a shopper in Clarksburg over the week-end.

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The home of Moody Kincald was purchased last week by Lura Brill, who in turn executed a deed for the property to Mrs. Albert Moore, who will take possession this week.

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Alfred McElwee, son of Mr. and Mrs. June McElwee, of Marlinton, a member of the U. S. Army Engineers, and who looks so handsome in his uniform, was visiting his parents here last week.

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Miss Dotty Lou McLaughlin, Miss Margaret Smith, Miss Grace Virginia Williams, Miss Dotty Lou Weiford and house guest, Ted Olsen and Torrence Trent returned to their studies at W. V. U. after visits here.


## The Durbin Theatre

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Ann Miller—Wm. Wright
— In —
'Reveille With Beverly'

DURBIN Tues., Dec. 9th — CASS Fri., Dec. 10th
Ann Sheridan—Geo. Sanders
— In —
"They Came to Blow Up America"



## Alpine Theatre

MARLINTON, W. VA.

Week Starting Friday, December 3

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Homer "Flash" Gordon of Marlinton was home on leave last week, following the completioin of his naval "boot" training.

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Miss Mabel Lang left Sunday night for New York to do the spring buying for Lang's Dress Shoppe.

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Miss Virginia Kinnison, student at D. and E. College, returned to school Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving day vacation at her home in Hillsboro.

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Ensign Walter Jett is spending a short leave with his family here.

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Mrs. E. H. Williams is reported to be very ill at her home here.

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## Huntersville News

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Randal Sharp Tuesday, November 23, to complete their study of foreign mission. Dinner was served.

Miss Anna Price Sheets visited friends in Ronceverte last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Moore were called to Keyser Wednesday due to the sudden illness of their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burns were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin Sheets last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fisher and son, Olga, visited at Mrs. Fisher's home last Sunday.

Cpl. Jimmie Nelson has returned to Camp Haan, Calif., after spending a nine-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Nelson.

Mrs. E. J. Workman spent last week with Mrs. Harry Buzzard.

Mrs. Peyton Moore visited Mrs. Cam McElwee last week.

## Cass News

### YOUTH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Dorothy Lee Mick was the leader of Youth Fellowship, Sunday, Nov. 28. Her topic was "Listening to God's Voice." The prelude, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," was played by the pianist, Bertha Lee Dill. The call to worship was given by the pianist. We all sang "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah," and a talk "How God Speaks to Us" was given by Marie Dill. The talk "God Speaks Through Nature," was given by Evelyn Galford after singing "For the Beauty of the Earth." A poem "Into the Woods My Master Went," was read by Judith Cassell. The song "Open My Eyes That I May See," was sang and Maxine Fisher read the Scripture and gave a talk "God Speaks Through Human Nature." Evelyn Hertig prayed and a talk "God Speaks As We Face Our Problems," was given by Beulah Dahmer.

The contest ended with the "twos" just a jump ahead of the "ones." The "twos" have had 151 present three months that the contest has been on and the "ones" had 148.


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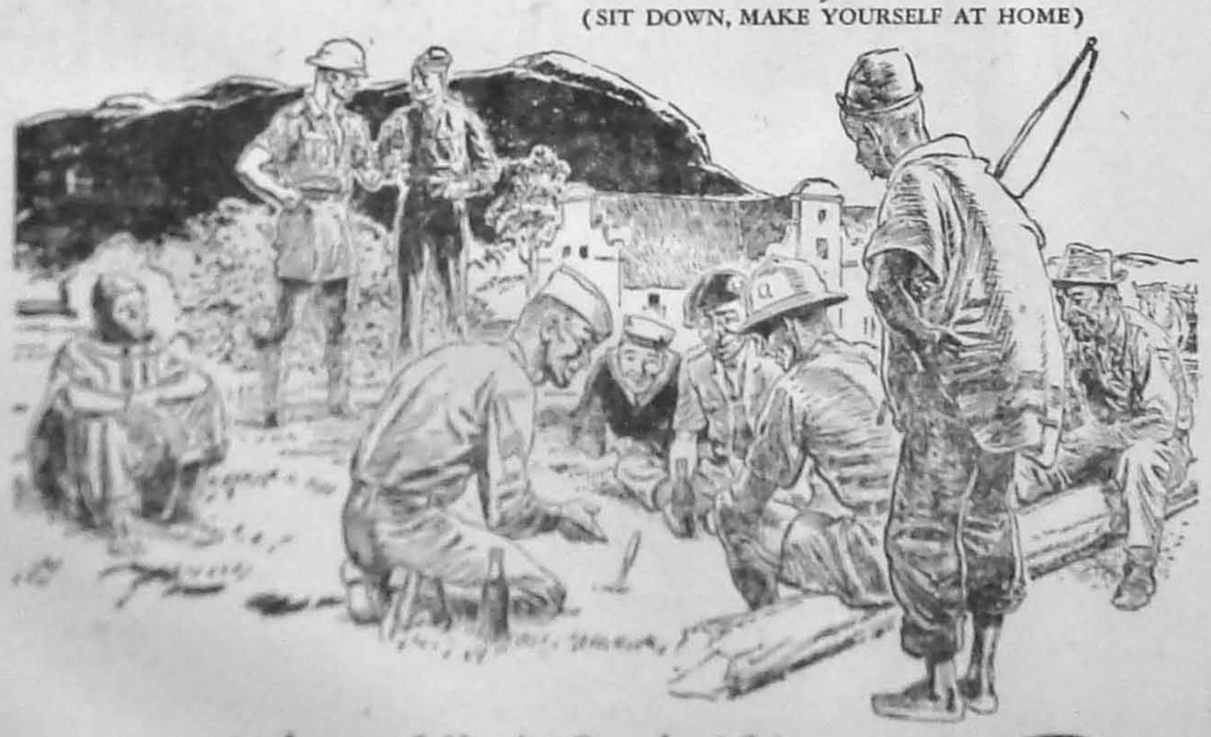

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## Durbin-Barton News

Mrs. Gordon Cole Shiflett, 24, of Glady, died Thursday morning at 10:40 in an ambulance en route from Cumberland, Md., where she had been a patient in a hospital, to her home. The young woman had been in ill health for some time. Her death occurred within a mile of her home.

She is survived by her parents, Walter and Jessie Sheets Shiflett, five brothers and three sisters, Pvt. Geo. Shiflett with the U. S. army in Asia; Walter, Jr., Louis, Cletious, Philip, Geneva, Gracie and Catherine at home. Also surviving are the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shiflett, of Durbin. Burial at Glady on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. George F. Hull returned Sunday from Richmond, Va., where they spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their son, George Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Feather and son, Carl Allen, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Feather at Mill Creek.

Miss Sylvia Hudson, of Akron, Ohio, is visiting friends in town for a few days.

Miss Imogene and Redecca Duskey, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duskey.

Miss Betty Hevener, of Cherry Grove, spent the week-end with Miss Rella Phares.

Mrs. J. L. Williams, Mrs. Treston Lambert and Mrs. Martha Slayton were shopping in Elkins Friday.

Mrs. Woodrow Heltzel spent Thanksgiving with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Cora Heltzel, at Job.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurm Mullenix spent Thanksgiving with home folks at Harman.

Miss Ethel Brown, of the Fairmont Business School, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her uncle, H. H. Hudson.

Misses Margaret Hughes, Jessie Roberson, Kathleen Mullenix, Billie Arbogast, Imogene, Margaret and [illegible] Cookley, Jenny Lance and Alfred Curry attended a dance at Monterey, Va., on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Sheets and son, Dickey, returned to Oak Hill Saturday.

Mrs. Mildred Matheny and son, Joe, of Morgantown, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett East.

Miss Bessie Beverage and sister of Washington, D. C., visited Mrs. Gray Beverage, Friday.

Mrs. Day, of Parsons, visited her son, Charles Day, and her daughter, Mrs. Hudson Hull, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Collins and daughter visited Mrs Collins' mother, Mrs. Bessie Frazier, over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Jess Malcolm, of Marlinton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Gragg.

Pvt. Alfred Curry, who spent his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Curry, returned to New River, N. C., on Friday.

Lieut. Russell Cogar, of Nashville, Tenn., is spending his leave with his family at Bartow.

Pvt. Ivan Vandevander, of Fort Bragg, N. C., is spending his furlough with home folks at Arbovale. He is being transferred to Fort Meade, Md.

Pvt. Owen K. Gillispie, of Camp Maxy, Texas, who is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gillispie, at Arboval, were visiting in town Saturday evening.

Jack McCauley, of the navy, and wife arrived Thursday from Great Lakes, Ill., where Mrs. McCauley had spent two months with her husband. Jack is being transferred to Connecticut.

Mr. Pete Hoover, of Bartow, is a patient in the Ronceverte hospital.

Mrs. Adam Hevener and Mrs. Clawson Sheets were visitors in town Saturday.

Calvin Sheets, of the U. S. navy, Great Lakes, Ill., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Sheets, on Back Mountain.

Mrs. H. F. Cromer, of Cheat Bridge, is seriously ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lane, of Adrian, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Wright.

Hayward Tharp and Bob Crum, who are prison guards at Moundsville, are home for a while.

Many hunters are arriving in town for the opening of the deer season, which opens on the 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Poscover and son, Benny, were business visitors in Elkins Friday.

Miss Hope Hull, Mrs. Curtis Gochenour and Mrs. P. F. Eades, Doris and Kathleen Snyder, of Bartow, were shopping in Elkins Friday.

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## Hillsboro News

**Club Meeting**—Lobelia Farm Women Club met at the home of Mrs. Frank Morrison Friday night. Sixteen members and nine visitors were present. We were glad to have with us our home demonstration agent, Mrs. Esther LaRue. The devotional was led by Mrs. Otts Kinnison. Theme "The Spirit of Thanksgiving." God has two dwellings, one in heaven and the other in a meek and thankful heart. The worship most acceptable to God springs from a thankful and cheerful heart. Scripture and sentence prayers. Followed was a reading by Mrs. E. L. Cutlip "Lincoln and Thanksgiving." Other poems and songs of Thanksgiving concluded the devotional. The roll call was answered by our hobby in words or actions. Election of officers: Mrs. La Rose, acting as chairman. As husbands and families had been invited a large number was present. The evening was enjoyed by all. Delicious refreshments of the season were served to fifty-two. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Robert William's the last Friday in December. Mrs. R. L. Sizemore as leader.

**Home Coming**—Sunday, November 21, was "Home Coming Day" at the home of Mrs. Don Ryder. All the children except one were present. A beautiful turkey dinner with all the frills was enjoyed. Sixteen persons were present as follows: Corp. Alfred B. Ryder, of Seymour Johnson, Field, N. C.; Hospital Apprentice 1st Class Harvey R. Warwick, of Great Lakes naval training station, Great Lakes, Ill.; Mrs. Harvey Warwick and daughter, Barbara May, of Charleston, W. Va.; Franklin D. Moore, S 1/c, of Washington, D. C.; Miss Jean Ryder and mr. and Mrs. Carl Sharp, of Covington, Va.; one son, Warren Ryder, of Charleston, W. Va., was unable to be present being sent to Indiana for an examination for entrance into the service. Another son, Algernon Ryder, leaves for the navy November 29th.

**Party**—In honor of Pfc. Densil William, who is serving in the United States marines. A small party was given by his aunt, Mrs. Pearl William. Those present were: Misses Marvel and Eudora Bruffy, Deija Anderson, Winona Copey, Mr. and Mrs. Venton Clutter, Jackie Gardner, of Charleston, W. Va.; Johnnie Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. Robert William.

**Personals**

Mrs. Jud Simmons has been real ill for the past week.

Mrs. Dennie Snedegar is very ill in the Marlinton Hospital with ruptured appendix. Her daughter, Miss Ilene Snedegar, of Baltimore, Md., has been called home, also her other relatives.

Mrs. Audrey Perry and children, of Charleston, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Overal, William and brother, Pfc. Densil William.

Mr. Jackie Gardner, of Charleston, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Chetter the past week.

Miss Winona Copey spent Thursday night with Miss Gertrude Kinnison.

Mrs. R. L. Sizemore spent last Thursday night with Mrs. Page Clutter.

Mrs. Virginia Anderson was the guest of Mrs. Nettie Kinnison Monday.

Mrs. Edd Walker and children spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sturges Holmes.

Mrs. Fannie Hollandsworth and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morgan, Friday.

Samuel Dean has returned to Meadville, Pa., where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinnison and daughters, of Charleston, and Miss Nannie Hill are visiting friends and relatives here.

## Arbovale News

Thanksgiving guests at the Warren Irvine home were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crowley, of Greenbank, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Crowley, Mrs. Jarrett Crowley and daughter, of Waynesboro, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Doris Landermil, of Waynesboro, Va.

Mrs. Fannie Kane, Mrs. Mammie Brown and Louise Brown were Saturday shoppers in Elkins.

Lynn Kerr, Mrs. Lena Dolly and Mrs. Virginia Hendrickson spent Friday and Saturday shopping in Charlottesville and Staunton.

Mrs. Abbie Arbogast returned home after spending two months visiting in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Arbogast are visiting with Mr. Arbogast's sister, Mrs. Dwight Arndorff.

Mrs. Allie Arbogast left Friday for Richmond, Va., where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Arbogast, of Elkins, were dinner guests Sunday of Virginia Hendrickson.

Sue Porter, of Cass, spent the week-end with Betty Conley.

Ray Gillespie, of Baltimore, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gillespie.

Miss Mable Woods left Friday to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives in Vanderpool.

Lieut. and Mrs. Styrle Brown left Tuesday for New Orleans, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Brown and visiting friends in Glenville.

Miss Loraine and Mary Margaret Beard and Doris Beard spent Friday and Saturday with their sister, Mrs. Paul Hevener, in Waynesboro, Va.

Thanksgiving guests at the H. S. Friel home were: Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Friel and son, of Waynesboro, Miss Anna Mae Friel, of Elkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Friel.


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**For You To Feel Well**

24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood.

If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.

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"A liar should have a good memory." —Quintilian

DECEMBER

3—Mary Baker Eddy, Christian Science leader, died, 1910.
4—Washington makes farewell address to soldiers, 1783.
5—Prohibition is repealed, 1933.
6—Joseph Conrad (Victory), novelist, born, 1857.
7—President Wilson recommends Philippine independence, 1920.
8—Congress votes to award General U. S. Grant gold medal, 1863.
9—John Milton, early English poet, born, 1608.

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# Sale of Lands Delinquent For Taxes

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land or undivided interests therein in the County of Pocahontas, which are delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes for the year 1942, will be offered for sale by the undersigned sheriff (or collector) at public auction at the front door of the courthouse of the county, between the hours of ten in the morning and and four in the afternoon on the 13th day of December, 1943.

Each unredeemed tract or lot, or each unredeemed part thereof or undivided interest therein, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold for the amount due thereon, as set forth in the following table:

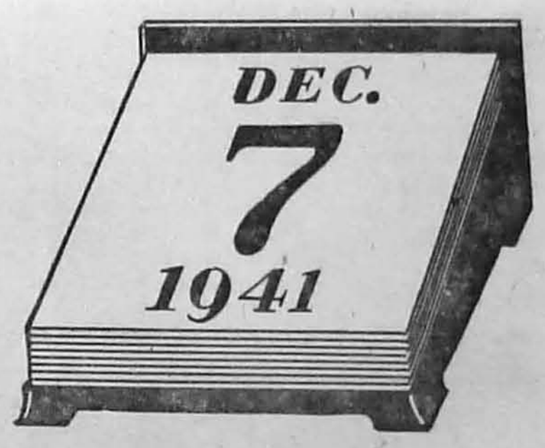
| Name of Person Charged With Taxes | Quantity of Land | Local Description | Total amount of taxes, interest and charges due to date of sale |
|---|---|---|---|
| **EDRAY DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 22a. | Stony Creek Mt. | $ 3.87 |
| Barlow, Joseph Est. | 57a. | Red Lick Mt. | 4.58 |
| Bennett, Stella | 20po. | Old Field Fork Elk | 4.00 |
| Davis, Winfield | 2a. | Brush Lick | 3.65 |
| Irvine, Mary Blanche | 10a. | E. Clover Lick | 5.08 |
| Same | 2a. | E. Clover Lick | 3.87 |
| Hannah, Hubert M. | 119a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 6.36 |
| Hill, Mattie E. | 10a. | Bruck Lick Run | 4.16 |
| Irvine, Ella M. | 80po. | Brush Lick Run | 3.57 |
| Knight, Israel Est. | 9a. | Brush Lick Run | 4.22 |
| Lacy, Ben Est. | 4a. | Brush Lick Run | 3.72 |
| McDowell, Fenton | 5a. | Indian Draft | 4.58 |
| McDowell, Harry Est. | 101a. | Indian Draft | 7.06 |
| Ray, Samuel Est. | 31a. | Clover Lick | 5.30 |
| Townsend, Nancy (Mrs. J. S.) | * 400 sq. ft. | Drennen Ridge | 4.65 |
| Varner, Harry C. | 182a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 24.14 |
| Wagoner, Mrs. Alice | 3a. | Buckeye | 5.30 |
| **MARLINTON SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Alexander, John | | Lot 3, B. 10—15, 16, 17 | 18.22 |
| Alexander, Millicent | | Lot 4, B. 10—4, 5, 6, 7 | 19.17 |
| [illegible] Est. | | Lot 1, W. Gbr. River | 9.38 |
| Merchants & Mechanics Bank | | B. 15 Lots 108, 109 | 3.80 |
| **GREENBANK DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. | 19a. | Adj. Margaret Acord | 3.91 |
| Same | 72a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.92 |
| Armstrong, Thomas | | Lot 28, B. 2 | 3.80 |
| Collins, Mattie H. | | L. 3, B. 6, Black A. | 5.44 |
| Gum, Frank & Elizabeth | 40po. | Dunmore | 6.54 |
| Hinkle, L. H. | 60a. | Dunsmuir | 11.30 |
| Kerr, Porter G. Est. | 18a. | Near Arbovale | 15.14 |
| Lett, Gayle | 20a. | L. No. 5, Near Durbin | 10.70 |
| Same | | L. 2 Alley Mt. | 6.90 |
| McKown, Betty | 27a. | Buffalo Mt. | 11.61 |
| Same | 19a. | Buffalo Mt. | 5.54 |
| Same | 5a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.65 |
| Price, William | 80a. | Mt. Lick Run | 6.59 |
| Smith, George | 30a. | Leatherbark | 6.95 |
| Sheets, Geo. M. | 20a. | Shoulder Run | 4.02 |
| Turner, Mrs. Hattie V. | 3a. | E. Alley Mt. | 5.72 |
| Turner, Geo. and Hattie | 90a. | E. Alley Mt. | 5.04 |
| Wilson, H. W. | 5a. | Greenbrier River | [illegible] |
| **CASS SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Hale, John | | 4,000 Sq. Ft. | 9.60 |
| **HUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 19a. | Stony Creek | 3.90 |
| Curry, Clarence C. | 12a. | Frost | 4.12 |
| Same | 87 sq. ft. | Frost | 4.06 |
| Curry, C. Vaughn | 5a. | Stony Creek | 4.08 |
| Kelley, Minnie et als | 60a. | Beverly Mt. | 6.87 |
| **LITTLE LEVEL DISTRICT** | | | |
| Hinkle, J. M. | 90a. | Burnside | 8.94 |
| Same | 5a. | Burnside | 3.80 |

All of the aforesaid taxes or lots, or part thereof, in any individual or legal interest, may be redeemed by the payment to the undersigned sheriff (or collector) before sale, of the total amount of taxes, interest and charges due thereon up to the date of redemption.

Given under my hand this 15th day of November, 1943.

WARD McCLINTIC, Sheriff


# The DAY that will live forever in infamy




IT IS just two years since America stood stunned at the unbelievable treachery of that sneak attack.

Things looked mighty black for us two years ago. They look a lot brighter now. Today our rebuilt navy—far more powerful than before; our vast air force; and our mechanized army are relentlessly forcing our enemies back on battlefronts the world's width apart.

Yes, we've come a long way—but the war isn't won yet. There's many a bitter battle yet to be fought.

And there's a production battle right here at home that isn't won yet, either. So long as the fighting goes on over there, there will be no lessening in the demand for pulpwood here.

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## IT *Impresses* ME

From Clarksburg Exponent
December 2, 1943

## Willyum's —Letter—

December 1, 1943.

Mr. Aubrey E. Ferguson,
Soon-to-Be Fighter,
Marlinton, W. Va.

DEAR "REV.":
I DIDN'T suppose a guy
WHO IS an editor, printer
AND PREACHER all in one
WOULD BE drafted.
BUT I hear
YOU'RE ON your way
IN A few days
SO HAVE a good time
AND CONVERT the army
WHILE YOU'RE away—
I'D BEEN told
A NEWSPAPER was important
TO A community's morale
AND IN a case like your's
WHERE YOU'RE
THE WHOLE show
IT DOES look as if
THAT WOULD have
BEEN CONSIDERED
BUT I know nothing
BEFORE YOU were drafted
OF THE workings
OF DRAFT boards
AND IT'S possible
THE MEMBERS of the board
TOOK A look at Alma
AND DECIDED maybe she
COULD GET out
A BETTER newspaper
THAN YOU could
AND NOW she's going
TO GET that opportunity—
I DON'T blame you
FOR CLOSING up the shop
AND ARRANGING to get
THE PAPER printed elsewhere
BECAUSE THE kind of printers
YOU COULD get today
MIGHT LEAVE the place
IN SUCH a mess
YOU NEVER would recover—
IT'S TOO bad Alma's tastes
RUN TO the aesthetic
OR DO I mean artistic,
SINCE SHE could hit
SOME PRETTY high notes
THE LAST time I heard her,
FOR IF you had
STARTED HER in
SETTING TYPE and
FEEDING THE press
WHEN YOU first
WENT TO Marlinton
SHE MIGHT have been ready
TO TAKE over now
AND YOU could have saved
A LOT of expense—
INCIDENTALLY ,I hope
OU WILL give her
SOME GOOD sounud advice
ABOUT the editorials
SHE CAN commit
WHILE YOU'RE away
BECAUSE SHE is
A PRETTY lousy Republican
AND IF somebody
GETS HER all enthused
THERE'S NO telling
WHAT SHE might print—
AS FOR you I don't
BELIEVE IT'S necessary
TO GIVE you any advice
SINCE YOU'VE resisted
THE CORRUPTING influence
OF DR. Caj price so long
THAT YOU may be
CHALKED UP as immune—
IT'S NEVER saf:
TO TAKE chances, though,
SO ALWAYS be careful—

WILLYUM.

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### POCAHONTAS MISSION CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Rev. Wilmer Crummett, Pastor

December 12:

Hosse—Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching 11 a. m.

Barton—Sunday school 3 p. m., preaching 4 p. m.

Pine Grove—Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Everyone is invited to attend.

### —AND IT'S LOADED WITH TNT!

Who says a lady can't drive a truck? This big Freuhauf Trailer with its GMC tractor, operates within the confines of a 7500 acre TNT plant with 500 buildings. This unit operates twenty-four hours per day and loaded to capacity each trip. E. B. Fehr is eloquent in his praise of both the equipment and the crews who handle it!

## Tax Collectors Will Aid Farmers In Filing Returns

F. Roy Yoke, United States Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of West Virginia, today announced that deputy collectors will be at the Alpine Hotel in Marlinton, West Virginia, on December 14, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 5:00 P. M., and on December 15, between the hours of 8 A. M. and 5 P. M. to assist taxpayers in the preparation of Declaration of Estimated Income and Victory Tax Returns due to be filed not later than December 15, 1943, as required by the Current Tax Payment Act.

The filing of a Declaration not later than December 15 is required of the following:

1. Farmers who have sufficient income to require filing—(See 3-a)—and have postponed filing under the special provisions of law which permit farmers to wait as late as December 15.

(A farmer is one who derives at least 80 per cent of his gross income from the operation of a stock, dairy, poultry, fruit or truck farm, or plantation, ranch, nursery, range or orchard.)

2. Persons who did file in September but underestimated their tax by more than 20 per cent and who should therefore, file "amended declarations" to avoid penalties. (These returns should be marked "AMENDED" at the top of the form for the purpose of ready identificatioin.)

3. Persons who did not file in September because their estimated income at that time was insufficient to require filing but now come within any one of the following classes:

(a) Anyone who expects to have during the calendar year 1943 more than $100 gross income from a source outside of wages which are subject to withholding and who also expects sufficient gross income to require filing an income tax return ($500 for a single person, $1,200 for a married couple, or $624 for an individual married person).

(b) Any single person expecting wages of more than $2,700 during the year.

(c) Any married person or any married couple expecting individually or together more than $3,500 from wages during the year.

(d) Any person who was required to file an income tax return for 1942 and who expects his wages in 1943 to be less than in 1942.

Taxpayers who filed declarations in September and paid one-half of the tax estimated to be due will receive bills from Collector Yoke for the balance due on or about December 1. Should any in this group ascertain that their previous estimate and computation of tax has been overstated, an amended declaration reducing the tax can also be filed. It should be accompanied by the bill and a remittance for any revised amount due.

Failure to meet the requirements of the Current Tax Payment Act will subject taxpayers to severe penalties.

## Troop Movement Job Equals 46 World Trips for Every Person In Pocahontas County

Taking all of Pocahontas County's 13,006 people around the world in sleeping cars nearly 46 times would be a tremendous undertaking, yet that is actually about the size of the troop movement job reported today by The Pullman Company.

Since Pearl Harbor, Pullman has carried about 34,000,000 troops a distance of more than 15 billion passenger miles in its sleeping cars, the company reports. These figures are said to cover mere military movements alone, and do not include the hundreds of furloughed men and others.

Many of the boys from Pocahontas County, like servicemen from all parts of the country, are getting their first Pullman rides, according to George A. Kelly, vice president of the company. Now most of them are making the reverse trips by Pullman, as the intensive training program of the armed services necessitates that many moves or more prior to embarkation for points abroad, he said. In addition, the army and navy believe in all the comfort possible for the members of the armed forces, he declared, and since hundreds of all military movements must be made on Pullman sleepers.

Pullman is now carrying more than another troop every month in passenger mileage, it is revealed by Mr. Kelly, who pointed out that in addition to the heavy and steadily increasing military passenger burden, civilians travel itself is also of a record-breaking kind. He believes that Pullman's business-mile volume for 1943 may exceed the 1942 all-time high of 16 billion by 3½ or more per cent.

"The military and civilian passenger burden of Pullman, and the will-ride today is no longer," Kelly said. "Just there is unfortunately little room for left for some of the conveniences and luxuries enjoyed in peacetime. Most, too, today is wartime service, and by their understanding and tolerance of this fact travelers can help us greatly in the performance of our vital job."

## Lieutenant Smith West Virginian

A story in the Journal last week concerning the activities of the "Smiths" in the present World War listed 2nd Lieut. Paul Smith (address not available). Word has been sent in by the Rev. Wilmer Crummett, of Boyer, this county, that 2nd Lieut. Smith is his nephew, and that he is a West Virginia boy whose home address is Sugar Grove, Pendleton County, W. Va. Rev. Crummett reports that the soldier has been missing in action since November 8.

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## Preston Educator Will Seek Post of State School Head

Announcement was made this week that Kenneth W. Shaffer, of Kingwood, superintendent of Preston County schools, would seek the Republican nomination for state superintendent of schools in the primary election on May 9, 1944.

Mr. Shaffer has lived and worked in Preston, Harrison, Barbour, Monongalia and Hampshire Counties, where he has worked at various times in lumbering, farming, glass factory, machine shop activities and has worked progressively from a teacher in a one-room school in Barbour County through the stages of high school teacher and coach, elementary and high school principal, assistant and county superintendent.

He has been active in professional, religious and civic organization. He is a member of the Methodist Church, Rotary Club, Masonic and Knights of Pythian Lodges, Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, life member—National Education Association, State Education Association and West Virginia Association of School Superintendents, and has served as past president of Preston County Education Association and West Virginia Association of School Superintendents; served the State Education Association in the capacity of chairman, committee on equal opportunity for three years, and now serving as chairman of the legislative committee; chairman, Superintendents' Association committee to study administrative and supervisory practices in West Virginia, and member N. E. A. committee on equal opportunity; Sunday school superintendent—Kingwood Methodist Church ,and past president Kingwood Rotary Club.

Mr. Shaffer has announced that he favors the following objectives for West Virginia:

1. Stronger and more economical county school systems with less state and federal control.

2. Thorough and improved public education and health opportunities for all school children and youth.

3. Adequate vocational education for youth, war veterans and others.

4. Adequate public library, health, safety and recreation facilities.

5. Greater participation of parents in planning the educational program.

In making his decision to seek the nomination for the state office, Mr

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## Men Accepted For Service

The following men from this county reporting at the Clarksburg Induction Station, November 19, 1943, have been accepted for service, as follows:

ARMY

Paul C Friel, Cecil G. Van Reenan, John C Armstrong, Ralph W. Elliott, John G. Sharp, Wesley S. Doyle, Clay W Tallman, Arnold H. Shoots, Arthur A. Cole.

NAVY

Frederick Lantz, Boyd W. Dunsmore, Harper E. Waugh, Arle G. Wooddell, Glenn P. Dean, Paul L. Mullenax, Clarence O. Lyle, Algernon S. Ryder, Jesse J. Waybright.

MARINE CORPS

Samuel T. Peanypacker, Everette G. Herold, Jr.

Men accepted by the army have been ordered to report to the Local Board at 10:00 A. M. December 11, 1943, for transportation to the reception center. Those accepted by the navy were given transportation and ordered to reported direct to naval training station. The men entering Marine Corps service will report to Recruit Depot, December 6, 1943.

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## County Gridders Chosen For Positions On Conference Teams

Four members of Marlinton High School's football team, and one gridder from Greenbank High, found positions on the All-Conference teams chosen at a Thanksgiving Day meeting of coaches of various squads in the Greenbrier Valley Athletic Conference.

The following boys make up the two teams of the conference, being chosen for their outstanding playing in their respective positions:

**First Team**

Ends—Dransfield White Sulphur; Callahan, Alderson.

Tackles — L. Sharp, Marlinton; Huffman, White Sulphur.

Guards—Gillespie, White Sulphur; Arbuckle, Lewisburg.

Center—Cossell, Greenbrank.

Backs — Underwood, Ronceverte; Ocheltree, Rainelle; Pence (capt.), Alderson; Michaels, Marlinton.

**Second Team**

Ends—Holliday, Rupert; Galford, Marlinton.

Tackles—Munsey, Lewisburg; Mann (capt.), Alderson.

Guards—T. Moore, Marlinton; Hedrick, Alderson.

Center—Beatic, Ronceverte.

Backs—Clifford, White Sulphur; McMillion, Ronceverte; McClung, Rupert; Boyd, Alderson.

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## Agricultural Award

Detailed plans were incomplete but County Agen Ben Morgan has announced that the "A" Award for agricultural production will be awarded to farmers of this county at a big public meeting Friday afternoon, December 17, on the football field at Marlinton High School or in the school gym if inclement weather prevails.

### AIR HERO RETURNS

Chillicothe, Ill.—Edwin Frank E. Lynch, veteran of the Eighth Army Flying Chiefs, his service over the Japanese Empire, recently was his hometown home where he spent a furlough visit to Mr. & Mrs. Frank Lynch, Sr., Elkins. He recently arrived home from the Pacific area, where he was with the 5th Air Force. Lieut. Lynch, an Army member of the Flying Fortress "The Wolf" completed 50 bombing missions over Europe.

## Crop and Feed Loans Are Now Available

Pointing out the desirability of purchasing fertilizer and other supplies for this crops well in advance of the planting season, Field Supervisor R. E. Herbert of the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Office at Elkins has announced that he is now accepting applications for crop and feed loans for spring planting.

Crop loans are secured by a first lien on the crops to be produced and feed loans by a chattel mortgage on the livestock to be fed. The interest rate is 4 per cent per year. Farmers who wish to apply may communicate with Field Supervisor Herbert at Box 367, Elkins, West Virginia, who will arrange to accept their applications.

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## National War Fund Contributors

Mrs. Zernie Brill 50c, Thornwood Lodge No. 344 I.O.O.M. $5, Mrs. Odie Cook $2, Lyle McPherson $1, Mrs. Rosia Gaiford $1, Charlie Gaiford $1, Mrs. A. E. Harouff $2, Cash $3, Mrs. Audra McPherson $1, Mrs. Isetta Cosner 50c, Mrs. Mary Lambert $1, Mrs. Paul Bradley 50c, Mrs. Ina Neighbors 40c, Mrs. David Nelson 25c, Mrs. Frank Slaven, Jr., 25c, Mrs. Carlos Carpenter 25c, Diana Slaven 15c, Mrs. Preston Gaiford 50c, Dr. F. C. Nickell $1, Mrs. Ted Blackhurst $1, Mrs. Oney Plyler 50c, Mrs. George Tallman 50c, Mrs. Oliver Sprouse 50c, Mrs. Mary McPherson 10c, Maude Cassell $1, Mrs. Harry L. Keyser $1, Mrs. Jess Bragg $1, Bell Cross $1, Mrs. Rachel Thompson $1, Eastern Star Chapter No. 124 $10, Mrs. Roy Cook 25c, Mrs. Bergie Taylor 15c, Mirle Irvine 25c, Mrs. Mattie Fowler 50c Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blackhurst $1, Rev. and, Mrs. Blackhurst $1.50, Elmer Duncan $1, James Belcher 25c, John Varner $1, A. J. Blackhurst $1, Cass Lodge No. 368, I.O.O.F. $5, H. H. Halterman 50c, Mrs Walter Clarkson 50c, Mrs. Anna Eary 25c, Mrs. James Cassell 50c, Mrs. Edgar Shinaberry 20c, Mrs. Ben Jackson 50c, Mrs. H. H. Halterman 50c, Mrs. F. Edwin, Hower $5, John Tallerico $1, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tallercio $1, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Urbanick $1, Mrs. J. C. Graves 25c, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fox $2, Dale White $1, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams $1, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moyer $1, Mrs. R. S. Hickman $5, R. S. Hickman $5.

Local Industrial Union No. 1236 United Sawmill and Lumber Makers $50, Riverside Lodge No. 124 A. F. and A. M. $15, Mrs. Anna Seitz $5, Mrs. O. H. Shriver 50c, Mrs. C. R. Shrader 50c, Mrs. Mirle Irvine $1, Mrs. Robert Miell $1, Mrs. J. L. Arbogast $1, Mrs. Clarence Ware $1, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ervin 1, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Kenealy $1, Mrs. Calvin Stover 35c, Mrs. Cale White 50c, Mrs. Marvin Moss 25c, Mrs. Frank Gray 25c, Mrs. C. R. Neighbors 25c, Mrs. Minnie George 50c, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Nelson 45c, Mr. and Mrs. Woods Gaylord 50c, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slaven $1, Mrs. Carl Rose 50c,

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### IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

### Lesson for December 12

### CHRIST'S NEW COMMANDMENT

LESSON TEXT—[illegible]

GOLDEN TEXT—A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another.—John 13:34.

The "new commandment" here spoken of by Christ was not, in the sense of there being heretofore no law on the subject, a literally new law. Christ had spoken and more than once to love in truth.

This commandment of love was also not to mean, many years before the Ten Commandments were given. Long before Moses, Christ, Yes, it declared, the fundamental of all spiritual life, the first commandment, indeed, to be love, that God is Love.

If you remember, Jesus Christ, the great teacher, spoke in the Ten Commandments in the form of all commandments, as love for God and love toward man. In that which follows, Jesus and Christ, Christ, who was to be born, Lord and Saviour, Christ, who was to be born, Lord and Saviour, Christ, who was to be born, Lord and Saviour.

Our lesson teaches us that Christ's commandment of love is:

**I. Love God** (Mark 12:30-31).

Because "God is love" (1 John 4:8) the doctrine makes a perfect love toward God. Because the source of this love is love, he loves us, and teaches us to love Him.

There is more here than a commandment, or the performance of a duty. There is the expression of a yearning affinity of all life in a day of manifestation of powerful emotions and organizations, which must be "power passions" in an universal sense. It is said to recall that the greatest power in all the world is the power of love.

Then let us not forget that all true love should rest upon fellowship with God. It was to real fundamental, if it does not.

**II. Love Your Neighbor** (Mark 12:31-34).

Everything about our relationship to Christ and to God expresses itself in our living. No spiritual truth is simply to be admired, or kept up a shelf as a cherished possession. It is to be put to work in the affairs of life.

Love for God means love for our neighbor. If we do not love our neighbor (and that means our fellow man—Luke 10:25-42) how can dwell the love of God abide in our hearts?

It is worthy of note that the recognition and appreciation of the truth on the part of the scribe brought him near to the kingdom of God, but not into it. He was "not far from," but he was not in it. It is terrifying to think how close men may come to entering without doing so. Reader, have you entered into eternal life through Jesus Christ?

**III. Love Your Brethren** (John 13:34, 35).

Here we come within the circle of believers and see that the distinctive thing about their fellowship should be love for one another.

The old commandment of love becomes a new one because Christ shows that the measure of that love is to be His great love for us. How did Christ love us? With a perfect, unselfish and thoughtful devotion, which so deeply desired the very most and best for us that He was willing to lay down His holy life as our Saviour from sin.

The thing which marked the early church with glorious distinction was that in a world that hated, they loved one another, and in a world that killed and destroyed, they were even willing to die for their brethren. Tertullian of Carthage (Tunis) said, in the second century, that the enemies of Christianity said of the Christians, "See how they love one another."

**IV. Love is Obedient, Joyful and Sacrificial** (John 15:10-14).

Love is not an impulsive, erratic movement of man's nature which tries to make up for neglect and unkindness by occasional displays of generosity and thoughtfulness. No indeed. Love walks the straight and steady way of obedience to God's commandments.

Keeping God's law is not accomplished by reading it, or talking about it, or even learning it by heart, but by definitely practicing its precepts.

This brings joy into our lives—the real and perfect joy of Christ. How little we appreciate what this means. Our fellowship with the Lord calls for obedience and sacrifice, but that is not a burdensome, dull, distressing experience. It is a joyful one. Who counts it a trial to do that which pleases a loved one? Do we really love God? Then we will rejoice in our response to His will, yes, in any possible act of devotion.

Love draws no limiting line beyond which it will not go. Love says: "I count not my life dear, if in giving it I may bring deliverance to my friends."

We shall not question His guidance nor blush to own His name, even though the testimony may mean our death. This we shall do for Christ's sake, and for the sake of a suffering humanity.

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## Dunmore News

**Honor Party Given**

A party honoring Robert Miller, of the navy, was given at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller, Wednesday night, December 1, by his sister, Miss Eula Miller and friend, Christine Dilley. An enjoyable evening was spent in playing games, and a delicious salad with cake was served by the hostesses to the following people: Pauline Campbell, Delbert Mace, William Perry, Bill Perry, Twila Shinabury, Orpha, Sarah and Johnnie Barnett, Mumford Craddock, Bettie Jean Sprouce, Creola Grimes, Agnes Friel Tom and Jim Pritchard, Bob Waugh, Mrs. Elkin McQuain, Mr. and Mrs. Blessard and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller and family.

**Youth Fellowship Meets**

The Youth Fellowship organization of the Methodist Church held its weekly program Sunday morning, December 5, with the program in charge of Martha Jean Campbell. Plans were made for a Christmas program. Next Sunday's meeting will be in charge of Charles McElwee and will be at 6:45 P. M.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Loudermilk and sons and Lynn Loudermilk, of Baltimore, Md., spent last week with Mrs. Loudermilk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Taylor.

Mr. A. B Brooks, who is employed at Baltimore, Md., spent part of the past week with his family. He was accompanied back to Baltimore by his wife and sons, who will reside there.

Earl Perkey, of Baltimore, Md., spent the past week with his family.

Mr. Roy Hylbert, of Parkersburg, W. Va., spent part of the past week with his sister, Mrs John U. Hevener.

Lieut. Eldon E. Campbell, of the Army Air Corps, and Miss Marilee Campbell, of Charleston, W. Va., are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R Campbell.

Mr. George Waugh, of Marlinton, spent the past week with his son, Lloyd Waugh.

Guests of Mrs. Lloyd Waugh, Friday, December 3, were Lieut. Eldon E Campbell, Marilee Campbell, Mrs. L. R. Campbell, Mrs. Carlon Pritchard and Mrs. R. M. Hiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Woods and sons, of Meadville, Pa., who had been spending some time with Mr. Woods' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grey K. Woods, returned home Thursday, December 2. They were accompanied home by Mrs. G. K. Woods, who will spend several weeks there.

William Perry, of the navy, left Friday, December 3, to return to Great Lakes Naval Station. He was accompanied to Montgomery, W. Va., by his mother, Mrs. Albert Perry, where they will visit sister and daughter, Mrs Kermit Wyatt.

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## Durbin-Barton News

Christmas program of the Durbin Methodist Church: The Christmas Eve. Quarter life size figures of the shepherds following the star and the manger scene, with the wise men, are shown on a stage built in front of the church with a background of Christmas greens.

The figures are gold against a green background. In the day time, and at night the figures are silhouetted by white and red lamps. This is a part of the Christmas program, which will consist of Christmas carols and chimes to be broadcast from the church each Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Every morning service during the month of December, will be on the last morning of Christmas. A candle light Communion service will be held on Christmas Eve from 6:30 to 7:30 o'clock.

The church school will have Christmas services in their morning program. The Christmas music will be rendered in the church by a community program of special Christmas music. The first Sunday evening of December 19th. The junior and senior choirs of Durbin Methodist Church will be heard in song Christmas carols in Durbin and Frank. Their following consist of a bobbin pudding at Green school. On the second Sunday of December there will be an illustrated lecture on the "Romance of Christmas Memories," with organ solos and impressions, evening.

Santa Claus came and visited in Durbin Saturday evening and held a reception at C. M. Beard store on Main Street. He heard the children in candy and oranges.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Goff, of Frank, had as dinner guests on Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Pritchard, Mrs. R. R. McNickle and daughter, Connie ,of Charleston, and Miss Mary Mildred Brown, of Arbovale.

Mrs. J. Hall Wilson and Miss Margaret Wilson were shopping in Elkins Saturday.

Misses Sylvia Hudson and Imogene Duskey returned to Akron, Ohio, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Meeks, of Buckhannon, W. Va., spent the past week in town renewing old acquaintances and deer hunting.

Mrs. Verdie Townsend is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Burner, of Bartow. Mr. Burner will leave Tuesday for Baltimore, where he will visit his son, Lincoln Burner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Nelson, of Newark, Ohio, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vance.

Miss Ruth Beard spent Saturday shopping in Elkins.

Mrs. Ray Rexrode of Thornwood, and Mrs. Ray Spencer, of Durbin, were business visitors in Petersburg, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer of Dayton Va. were visiting friends in town Sunday.

Miss Gloria Dean Eye, of Frank, spent the week-end wtih Kitty Spencer.

Boyd Wright, of Pennsboro, W. Va., has been visiting his brother, Asa Wright, the past week and while here killed a six-point buck weighing 200 pounds. Blackhurst, of Cass, is mounting the head for him.

Mrs. Clara East has returned home after spending some time with relatives and friends in Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. Howard Grogg was a business visitor in Marlinton Sunday.

Brooks and Ergyle Vance who are employed by the Western Maryland Railway Co. spent the week-end with their families at Whitmer.

Mrs. John Bosley was shopping in Elkins one day the past week.

Mrs. James Carpenter and children, of Cass, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilmoth.

Mrs. M. V. McCarthy was called to Charleston Friday, her daughter, Mrs. John Knight had been badly burned when the oven of her gas sotve exploded.

Paul Nelson, of Cherry Grove, was a business vistor in town Friday.

Mrs. Marvin Wimer and little daughter, Rebecca are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenna Rexrode, on Maple Street.

Lieut. Russell Cogar and wife are visiting relatives ni Thomas, W. Va.

Harold Collins, of the U. S. army, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Cora Collins, at Hosterman.

Word has been received that John Sutton of the U. S. army, located at San Antonio, Teas, has been promoted to private first class.

Tech. Sgt Julian Puffenbarger, of Blackstone, Va., is visiting home folks.

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## Cass News

**Doris Brannon Honored Guest At Party**

Miss Sue Porter was hostess at a party given at her home in honor of Mrs. Doris Brannon on her birthday, November 24. Attending the party were: Maxine and Julia Fisher, Beulah Dahmer, Phyllis Brice, Shirley Meeks, Margaret Eary, Anna Phyler, Barbara Sparks, Ruth Tallercio, Marjorie Adams, Ted Shinnaberry, Bill Zopp, the honored guest and the hostess.

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hoover of Frank, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Richards Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Stewart, of Marlinton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook and other friends, Friday and Saturday.

Woodrow Hamrick, of the army, returned to Seattle, Wash., Friday, after spending a short time here.

Mrs. Stanley Mullenax and daughter, and Mrs. Marian Mullenax, of Boyce, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Richards last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coles and family moved here from Rainelle. Mr. Coles is the new woods superintendent for the Hiawatha Lumber Co.

Miss Shirley Meeks left last Tuesday for the Shriners Hospital in Philadelphia. She was accompanied by her mother Mrs. Ollie Meeks.

Mrs. Mitie Irvine, who recently moved to Lewisburg, visited friends around town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Hare and son, Elwood, of Kanawha, visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blackhurst three days last week.

Mrs. Charlie Sheets and daughter Catherine and Mack W. Youngman were shopping in Elkins Saturday.


AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666
666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS


## Green Bank News

**Personals**

George V. Hannah returned to his home Saturday after spending the past week in Richmond undergoing medical examinations. He also visited Mrs. J. M. Hannah at Arvonia, Va., and his sister, Mrs. Annie Bock, of near Richmond.

Miss Ada Lightner returned to her home in Virginia Saturday, after being a guest for the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Lightner.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Taylor are happy over the arrival of their fourth child and first daughter, who arrived November 2th. She has been named Wanda Jane.

Miss Nellie Maude Smith, popular Green Bank High teacher, was absent Thursday and Friday on account of illness.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Liberty Church will not hold their regular meeting on the third Saturday of the month, but will present a special Christmas program in the Liberty Cauch at 7:30 P. M. on December 19.

It has been a happy week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crowley, with their sons, Staff Sgt. Clyde Crowley home from Arizona, and Sgt. Ward Crowley and bride in from Kansas, while on Thursday their daughter, Mrs. Dolores Wright and daughters, Connie and Kay, arrived from Wyandotte, Mich., for a few days visit with the Crowleys and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wright.

Ernest Sampson bagged a nice eight-point buck the second day of the season on Alleghany Mountain.

Jack Alford Jr., 15 year old hunter from Smithers, W. Va., killed a nice six-point buck near Frost.

Mesdames F. W. Hedrick, B. B. Campbell, J. D. Deane and Miss Mary Dare Hedrick were Saturday shoppers in Elkins.

Mesdames Donald Wood, Clark McCutcheon and Miss Margaret Lightner were shopping in Staunton Saturday.

David Smitih, Vo-Ag teacher at Green Bank High School, was a business visitor in Churchville, Va., Saturday.

Don Plummer, of Charleston was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vere Barkley were business visitors in Staunton Thursday and Friday.

Miss Roberta Jean Sheets was the week-end guest of Mrs. Paul Morris in Marlinton.

Dr. E. C. Bennette, of Richwood, was visiting at the home of Dr. McCutcheon on Thursday.

Jasper Lantz, seamon 1st class, of Key West, Florida, will return to his station Tuesday after a two-week furlough at his home.

George C. Ray has returned to Georgia after a furlough spent with his mother, Mrs. Valley Ray. His address is: Pvt. George C. Ray, Btry. B, 794th A A A Auto Bn., Camp Stewart, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crowley accompanied Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Ward Crowley to Clarksburg Monday, where they took a train for the west.

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## Huntersville News

Mrs. Angie Adams, Mr. "Dick" Patrick of Paintsville, Ky., and Miss Anna Price Sheets, of Ronceverte, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin Sheets last week.

Mr. Fred B. Moore and Mrs. W. R. Pierson visited Mrs. Thomas Ward in Keyser, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson and family, of Pendleton, spent Sunday with Mr. Elmer C. Nelson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hiner, November 28, a daughter, Carol Sue.

Mrs. Claude Malcomb and Mrs. Joy Anderson visited Grace and Lucy Workman, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin Sheets and son, "Sammie," visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burns, Sunday afternoon.

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**INFANT DIES**

An Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sutton, of Edray, died Sunday, December 5, 1943.

# Sale of Lands Delinquent For Taxes

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land or undivided interests therein in the County of Pocahontas, which are delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes for the year 1942, will be offered for sale by the undersigned sheriff (or collector) at public auction at the front door of the courthouse of the county, between the hours of ten in the morning and and four in the afternoon on the 13th day of December, 1943.

Each unredeemed tract or lot, or each unredeemed part thereof or undivided interest therein, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold for the amount due thereon, as set forth in the following table:

| Name of Person Charged With Taxes | Quantity of Land | Local Description | Total amount of taxes, interest and charges due to date of sale |
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| **EDRAY DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 22a. | Stony Creek Mt. | $ 3.87 |
| Barlow, Joseph Est. | 57a. | Red Lick Mt. | 4.58 |
| Bennett, Stella | 20po. | Old Field Fork Elk | 4.00 |
| Davis, Winfield | 2a. | Brush Lick | 3.65 |
| Ervine, Mary Blanche | 10a. | E. Clover Lick | 5.08 |
| Same | 2a. | E. Clover Lick | 3.87 |
| Hannah, Hubert M. | 119a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 6.36 |
| Hill, Mattie E. | 10a. | Bruck Lick Run | 4.16 |
| Irvine, Ella M. | 80po. | Brush Lick Run | 3.57 |
| Knight ,Israel Est. | 9a. | Brush Lick Run | 4.22 |
| Lacy, Ben Est. | 4a. | Brush Lick Run | 3.72 |
| McDowell, Fenton | 5a. | Indian Draft | 4.58 |
| McDowell, Harry Est. | 101a. | Indian Draft | 7.06 |
| Ray, Samuel Est. | 31a. | Clover Lick | 5.30 |
| Townsend, Nancy (Mrs. J. S.) | 600 sq. ft. | Drennen Ridge | 4.65 |
| Varner, Harry C. | 182a. | Old Field Fork Elk | 24.14 |
| Wagoner, Mrs. Alice | 3a. | Buckeye | 5.30 |
| **MARLINTON SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Alexander, John | | Lot 3, B. 10—15, 16, 17 | 18.22 |
| Alexander, Millicent | | Lot 4, B. 10—4, 5, 6, 7 | 19.17 |
| Hill Mattie Est. | | Lot 1, W. Gbr. River | 9.38 |
| Merchants & Mechanics Bank | | B. 15 Lots 108, 109 | 3.80 |
| **GREENBANK DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. | 19a. | Adj. Margaret Acord | 3.91 |
| Same | 72a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.92 |
| Anastacio, Theresa | | Lot 28, B. 2 | 3.80 |
| Gillian, Mattie R. | | L. 3, B. 6, Black A | 5.44 |
| Gum, Frank & Elizabeth | 80po. | Dunmore | 6.54 |
| Hinkle, L. H. | 60a. | Deercreek | 11.30 |
| Kerr, Porter G. Est. | 15a. | Near Arbovale | 15.14 |
| Latt, Gayle | 20a. | L. No. 5, Near Durbin | 10.20 |
| Same | | L. 2, Alley Mt. | 6.90 |
| Mullenax, Belva | 27a. | Buffalo Mt. | 11.61 |
| Same | 19a. | Buffalo Mt. | 5.54 |
| Same | 9a. | Buffalo Mt. | 4.52 |
| Price, William | 93a. | Mt. Lick Run | 8.59 |
| Smith, George | 30a. | Leatherbark | 6.90 |
| Starks, Geo. W. | 25a. | Houchin Run | 4.02 |
| Varner, Mrs. Hattie V. | 2a. | B. Alley Mt. | 5.72 |
| Varner, John anhd Hattie | 26a. | B. Alley Mt. | 5.04 |
| Widney, H. M. | 1a. | Greenbrier River | 3.70 |
| **CASS SUBDIVISION** | | | |
| Reda, John | | 4,800 Sq. Ft. | 9.88 |
| **HUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT** | | | |
| Arbogast, E. M. Est. | 16a. | Thorny Creek | 3.93 |
| Curry, Clarence C. | 13a. | Frost | 4.12 |
| Same | 80 sq. ft. | Frost | 4.36 |
| Feeling, C. Vaughn | 7a. | Thorny Creek | 4.08 |
| Kelley, Ethel et ale | 65a. | Browns Mt. | 6.57 |
| **LITTLE LEVELS DISTRICT** | | | |
| Shields, C. M. | 80a. | Burnside | 4.79 |
| Same | 1a. | Burnside | 3.68 |

Any of the aforesaid tracts or lots, or part thereof, or any undivided interest therein, may be redeemed by the payment to the undersigned sheriff (or collector) before sale, of the total amount of taxes, interests and charges due thereon up to the date of redemption.

Given under my hand this 15th day of November, 1943.

WARD HUTCHISON, Sheriff

## Uncle "Pud" Tucker —Says—

By DR. ROY B. McCUSKEY

**THINKIN' OUTLOUD AGAIN**

**While we are in the slappin' business, why not slap every postmaster in the United States with a few of those hard-boiled dollars and tell him to buy War Stamps and Bonds for Uncle Sam. Christmas is only a few days away and our army is itchin' to trim not only Adolf Hitler's army but his Christmas tree.—Pud Tucker.**

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**MURPHY—CESSELL**

Sturlie Murphy, coxswain in the navy, and Alice Cassell, of Alberton, Md., were united in marriage November 23, 1943, at Baltimore, Md., by Rev. Carl Munford.

The young couple are spending their honeymoon at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Murphy.

merly of near Slatyfork, son of Mr. Amanda Moore Hannah and the Samuel D. Hannah, died at the Ronceverte Hospital on December 5, 1943. He was born February 5, 1897.

Children surviving are Arlie Hannah, of Slatyfork, and Mrs. Shelton, of Slatyfork.

He is also survived by the following brothers and sisters: Jesse P. Hannah, Slatyfork; Frank Hannah, Slatyfork; Dock R. Hannah, Marlinton, W. Va.; Richard E. Harbert, of Valley Bend, and Mrs. O. W. Kerr, Webster Springs.

Funeral services will be held at Mary's Chapel Church on Elk, Tuesday, December 7th, at 2 P. M., by Rev. R. H. Skaggs, assisted by Rev. Fred Ozendale.

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**E. B. CALLISON ILL**

Elba B. Callison, of Marlinton, office deputy for Sheriff Ward Hutchison, is ill in the local hospital, after suffering several heart attacks Sunday night.

## Top 4-H'ers In West Virginia

**Win Trip to National Club Congress, Chicago**

OUTSTANDING records of achievement in 4-H wartime production and conservation projects, conducted by the Extension Service, have won state championship honors for five West Virginia club members. As a reward, each will receive an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Nov. 28-Dec. 1. The five trip winners are:

KATHLEEN REEDER, 21, of Alexander, is the state's highest scoring participant in the 1943 National 4-H Canning Achievement contest, for which Kerr Glass Mfg. Corp. provides the awards. During 8 years in club work, the girl put up 612 quarts of meats, vegetables, fruits, soups and jellies, and won many placings on her exhibits.

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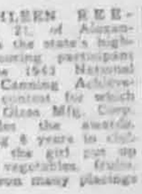

RUTH WOODS, 20, of Moundsville, receives the Montgomery Ward trip award for her "all around" 4-H girls' record. During 11 years in club work she sewed and remodeled 34 garments, baked 42 batches of breads and pastries, made 43 home improvement articles, and planted 1,300 trees in a forestry project, as well as completed 15 projects, and served 3 years as club president.

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NORMA COCKERILL, 17, of Buckhannon, receives her award from American Viscose Corp. for having the top ranking record of planning, selecting, constructing, assembling and caring for her wartime wardrobe in the National 4-H Victory Dress Revue. This program encourages participants to dress appropriately, healthfully and economically for all occasions.

MARY FOWLER, 16, of Point Pleasant, is given the Chicago trip by the Educational Bureau of the Royal Crown Co. for her superior record in the current National 4-H Canning Achievement contest. The girl made over or mended 52 of her own and family's old garments to help meet vitally needed new cloth and fabric for military uses, as well as knitted and knitted accessories for her wardrobe.

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GOLDA McCLUNG, 16, of Cecil, state winner in the National 4-H Food Preservation contest, is rewarded with the coveted trip by Ball home economists for her superior play record in helping "Make America Strong." She contributed measurably to the war program by making the greatest possible use of home-produced food, and preparing 65 nutritious, balanced, wholesome meals, including 13 varieties of bakings for her family.

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Twenty-nine college scholarships, totaling $5,800, provided by the same donors, are awarded the national winners in the above contests.

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SUPERMEN
—the morning after

(Drawn from actual photo)

THESE captured members of The Master Race are bitter and broken in spirit.

Hypnotized by promises of power and glory, they gave up every human freedom to follow a fanatic paperhanger.

They fell upon the world and almost crushed it. But not quite. The "decadent" democracies rallied around the banner of liberty. Free peoples applied the dynamics of free enterprise to the grim business of war—and accomplished production miracles.

The sullen slaves of the swastika have come up against a force they cannot master or comprehend.

It is *independence*—the common heritage of Americans. Freedom of religion, speech, thought and individual enterprise. The right and opportunity of every American, within reasonable limits, to enjoy the rewards that his own work may bring.

This is the force that made America great. It is devoted today to the needs of all-out war. *It must not be lost when the war is won.*

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DON'T WASTE ELECTRICITY JUST BECAUSE IT ISN'T RATIONED

# SOCIAL DOTS

Chatty Items About People and Events

Members of the Minnehaha Springs Park Women's Club met Wednesday night at six for dinner at the home of Mrs. H. D. Wells, and a feature of the session was a Christmas pageant in charge of Mrs. Grace Tyson, of Marlinton.

Those taking part in the pageant were Mrs. G. C. Wade, Mrs. Elmer Moore, Mrs. Lloyd Pennybacker, Mrs. Clyde Bonnett, Mrs. Arch White, Mrs. C. E. Smith and Mrs. Howard Barlow. Roll call was in charge of Mrs. Elmer Moore, president.

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The Christmas program of the Marlinton Women's Club will be held Friday night at the home of Mrs. F. P. McLaughlin. Yuletide decorations will be used and the meeting will feature a Christmas tree. "Music and Devotions" of many nations will be rendered by club members under the direction of Mrs. Calvin W. Price.

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Mrs. Edward A. Moore is in charge of the arrangements for the Christmas dinner and meeting of the Pocahontas Business and Professional Women's Club to be held Monday, December 13, at Johnson's Restaurant. The topic for the meeting is "Education," and Mrs. Kenneth J. Hamrick, wife of a local physician, will speak on the subject of "Socialized Medicine." Table decorations will be in keeping with the season, and a sale of hand-made articles contributed by the members will be held. Miss Edith Moir, president, will preside.

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A covered-dish dinner will be held on December 21 by members of the U. D. C. at the home of Mrs. Mary Preston Beatton Moore. An exchange of gifts and a Christmas program will feature the meeting. In charge of entertainment will be Mrs. E. H. Rucker, Miss Edmonia Gibson and Mrs. Moore, and Mrs. Paul Mason, Mrs. James Dear and Mrs. P. T. Ward will have charge of the food arrangements.

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Mrs. S. H. Hosch returned Tuesday from a visit to Pittsburgh.

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Mrs. Opal C. Lewis has returned to her home here after a visit at the home of her parents, Amos Spencer.

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Rev. and Mrs. S. W. John and son, of Parkersburg, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Lester Shrader. Rev. Mr. John was successful in getting a deer last week.

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Ensign and Mrs. Walter Jett left for New York last Tuesday. Mrs. Jett returned the latter part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Jett were accompanied to Beckley by Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Unger, Miss Mary Margaret Herald and Miss Martha Hill.

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Miss Pearl Cutler spent the week-end in Elkins visiting her brother.

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Here going-on here and there: The election of Miss Sally Frogge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Frogge, Jr., Edna, for election to "Who's Who in American College and Universities." Miss Frogge is a student at Marshall College, Huntington.

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That Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wilson had as their recent guest, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sharp, and at a later date Mr. and Mrs. John Harold.

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While "Hal" should not a little get-together of some friends for a buffet supper last week to honor his brother, who left Monday for service.

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And the nice time and good things to eat, with Mr. and Mrs. Frank King, who entertained the Mr.'s and Mrs.'s Bridge Club last week. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Overholt, Mr. and Mrs. Publicity Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Boyle Huntington, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Unger.

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Little Nancy Sharp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sharp, has been very ill with whooping cough.

And Mrs. Fred McLaughlin was host to her bridge club last week. Those playing were Mrs. A. H. Hosch, Mrs. Jack Moore, Mrs. C. S. Arbogast, Mrs. Frank King, Mrs. F. T. Ward, Mrs. Keith Rollingham, Mrs. S. H. Sharp and the hostess.

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Miss Pauline Herald and mother, Mrs. Margaret Herald, were in Charleston from Saturday until Tuesday.

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Mrs. Carl Friel and son, Miss Lillie Gibson and Mrs. B. A. Hudson, of Greenbank, were Saturday shoppers in Covington, Va.

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Bedford Edley, of Cincinnati, visited his father, Hermon Edley, last week.

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Mrs. Maude Bumgardner and Mrs. Noble Moore spent the week-end in Lewisburg.

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Walter Bugner, of Detroit, Mich., recently visited Mrs. Flora Johnson and Mrs. Adam Moore.

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Miss Thelma Williams returned Sunday to Hainsdale after spending some time with her mother, who was very ill.

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Mrs. John Day left last Wednesday for Providence, R. I., to visit her husband, who is stationed at a seabee camp.

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William Brooks, of U. S. Navy, has been visiting Miss Nyla Parsons.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Myers, of Montgomery, who have been guests of Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. W. H. Van Reenan, for several days, were unable to return home Sunday, because of the illness of Mr. Myers.

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Mrs. Clyde H. Smith, of Montgomery, has been spending several days here with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callison, Sr., of Hillsboro, had as weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hefner and Billy Callison, of Christiansburg, Va., and Miss Ruth Callison, of White Sulphur.

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Mrs. Alice Robertson suffered a heart attack and is very ill at her home.

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Hull Yeager suffered a heart attack while deer hunting last week. He is reported to be improved.

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Mrs. Lena Colson is ill in the local hospital.

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Carl Ferguson, Harry and Wheeler Gladwell and "Shorty" Wilson, all of Huntington were deer hunting here last week. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anderson, of Marlinton.

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Mrs. Olive Ferguson and daughter, Linda Carroll, who have been visiting here, have departed to join her husband.

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An albino deer, six-point buck, weight 160 pounds, was killed by Verle Fyle of Dunp Mountain last wek. The deer was almost pure white.

## R. J. Funkhouser Featured In Magazines

Announcing a feature story on Raymond J. Funkhouser, which appeared last week, the Saturday Evening Post magazine said this is our about the West Virginia business man-farmer.

"West Virginia Republicans last year awoke with a start the day after election to find they had come within a handful of votes of nominating Raymond J. Funkhouser to the United States Senate.

"Forrest Davis (Post author) sketched a new and dashing political figure (Funkhouser) in the story "STATESMAN IN A HURRY."

The Post asserts the guess that "the undaunted Mr. Funkhouser is now set to capture the governorship in 1944 and may succeed."

Though Funkhouser has not announced his candidacy for the governorship, it is assumed in most quarters that he will run. The number of copies of the magazine which to be distributed in West Virginia was materially increased for this issue. This is the first time in many years that a West Virginia political situation and personality have achieved national prominence.

### NOTICE

A meeting of the Pocahontas County Rod and Gun Club is called for Friday, December 17, 7:30 P. M., at the Royal Drug Store for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. A good attendance is desired.

HARVEY M. SMITH, Secty.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the good people of Cass and all the surrounding communities for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our husband and father, Bernard B. Hamrick. Also for the flower offerings and car donors. May God's richest blessings rest on you all.

WIFE AND HAMRICK FAMILY

## Pvt. Olive Hendrick Stationed in Maryland

Pvt. Olive Hendrick, here for this L. Hendrick, daughter of Mrs. Florence Hendrick, of Dunmore, W. Va., was a member of a women's army corps unit which recently left Fort WAC training center here for duty with the army at Halethorpe Signal Depot, Halethorpe, Md.

WAC units now are in work with the army on more than 200 posts in all 48 states, the District of Columbia and overseas.

The expanded WAC training program is resulting in a rapid increase of enlisted women, the WAC members of which are taking over more and more army jobs. Hundreds of trained WACS go out each week from Fort Des Moines, the other WAC training centers and specialist schools, to take their places with the army.

### CASS P. T. A.

The Cass P. T. A. will meet December 21, 7:30 P. M. A pageant, "Christmas Night," will be presented under the direction of Miss Arbuckle and Miss Harper. Fellas are urged to attend this splendid program.

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# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers

Crackers and Chowder Harmonize!
(See Recipes Below)

### Soup Satisfies!

There's not one dish in any cooking repertory that can even come close to fill the place of soup. It can be the appetite-tickler to start the meal, or a light, inspired concoction to do for lunch, or a steaming hot, sturdy soup to be the meal, the vegetable and the main dish for a cool night's dinner while the wind blows hard outside.

If any crisis arises as far as your own point-ration allowance, then start exploring the fascinating possibilities of a few meaty bones, celery leaves, pungent onion, and a sprig of parsley, chives, marjoram or chervil. Fat, juicy lozenges of soup will ward off any hunger pangs as they have always done when food supplies are slender.

There's no doubt that the tureen will again become a part of your kitchen equipment—at least for the duration. You can make delicious soup out of almost anything—and soup can make the meal if you serve it with plenty of unrationed crackers. There are literally all kinds of these to go with any soup you care to name.

Here's a fish chowder that is rich, savory and thoroughly satisfying. Serve it with common or pilot crackers to make the meal. Or, if you prefer, oyster crackers, the round tasty type, saltines or plain soda crackers—any one will be a natural accompaniment:

**'Fish Chowder.**
**(Serves 8)**

**3 pounds haddock or cod**
**3 potatoes, sliced**
**3 medium-sized onions, chopped**
**3 slices salt pork, diced**
**8 crackers**
**1 quart milk**
**1 pint cream**
**1 tablespoon butter or margarine**
**Salt and pepper**

Cook fish in boiling water until done. Remove fish from water and cook potatoes and onions in fish water until soft. Fry salt pork until crisp. Skin and bone fish and add with pork scraps, to chowder. Soak split crackers in milk. Heat milk and cream with crackers, and add to chowder. Add butter or margarine, salt and pepper.

Here is another savory soup which will make a perfect main dish for the meal:

**Lynn Says:**

**The Score Card:** Now that butter has gone up in point value, you may have to learn to use other spreads such as margarine. Be sure to select a margarine that gives you a definite guarantee of the amount of vitamin with which it is enriched. To color the margarine, let it soften until smooth and creamy; add vegetable coloring and blend together. Let harden before using, if you want to cut it in squares.

Butter can also be stretched with a number of commercial or other stretchers. Select a stretcher that gives good consistency and does not change flavor.

If you're doing without a great deal of butter, here's how: Use margarine or shortenings for all cooking or baking. Save bacon and other drippings to use for frying. Occasionally use jams, jelly and honey for spreads. Sandwiches can be spread with mayonnaise if the butter supply is low.

**Lynn Chambers' Point-Saving Menu**
"Fish Chowder With Crackers
Tossed Green Salad
Biscuits Jelly
Beverage
Lemon Pie
*Recipe Given

**Scotch Broth.**
**(Serves 10)**

**½ cup dried barley**
**½ cup green, split peas**
**½ pound lamb shank**
**1 tablespoon salt**
**3 quarts water**
**2 leeks or onions, chopped**
**2 carrots, diced small**
**1 turnip, diced small**
**1 pound cabbage, sliced**
**4 tablespoons finely chopped parsley**
**1 carrot, grated**

Soak peas and barley overnight, in separate bowls. Place lamb shank in a large saucepan; add salt and cold water to cover. Bring to a boil and simmer 1 hour. Add leeks, carrots, turnip, cabbage, peas and barley. Simmer 1 hour. Add parsley and grated carrot. Stir well and serve.

Potatoes and onion are go-togethers in soup. Carry the harmony even further and serve with this soup, the round, toasty type of cracker:

**Cream of Potato and Onion Soup.**
**(Serves 8)**

**4 onions**
**4 medium-sized potatoes**
**2 tablespoons flour**
**2 tablespoons butter or margarine**
**2 cups scalded milk**
**1 tablespoon chopped parsley**
**Salt and pepper**

Boil onions and potatoes together until tender. Drain, saving 1 cup of the water. Rub the vegetables through a coarse strainer. Melt the butter or margarine, add flour and blend until smooth. Add milk and potato-onion water, and combine with onion and potato pulp. Season with chopped parsley, salt and pepper. Beat with egg beater and serve at once.

Did you know that a cheese type of cracker is best with the tomato soups? It brings out the flavor of the soup better than any other kind of accompaniment:

**Tomato Bisque.**
**(Serves 6)**

**4 cups milk**
**½ cup stale bread crumbs**
**2½ cups canned tomatoes**
**1 small onion**
**6 cloves**
**½ teaspoon soda**
**2 teaspoons sugar**
**4 tablespoons butter or margarine**

Pour the scalded milk over the bread crumbs and rub through a sieve. Stew the tomatoes with the seasonings and strain. To the tomatoes, in which the soda has been dissolved, add the reheated milk mixture, and last the sugar and butter mixture. Serve at once.

A delicious bean soup has been many a cook's road to fame. It's not difficult at all if you make it this way:

**Black Bean Soup.**
**(Serves 12)**

**1 pound black beans**
**2 cloves**
**2 sprigs thyme or 1 bayleaf**
**2 quarts water**
**1 onion, chopped**
**1 ham bone or ½ pound salt pork or**
**4 tablespoons butter or margarine**
**Dash of salt**

Soak beans overnight in cold water. Rinse and drain beans well. Place in kettle with rest of ingredients. Bring to a boil and let simmer 4 hours. Add more water from time to time, if necessary. Put through sieve and serve with slice of lemon and sliced hard-cooked egg.

What are your problems in running a home? Write to Lynn Chambers for answers in order, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your reply, to Lynn Chambers, 210 South Desplaines Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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## In Memoriam

Boyer, W. Va.,
Dec. 2, 1943.

In memory of my father, Mr. Frank Snyder, who passed away in 1943:

I Have No Mother and Father Now.

I hear the soft wind sighing
Through every bush and tree,
Where now their forms are lying
Away fro love, and me
Tears from mine eyes are starting
And sorrow shades my brow;
Oh! weary was our parting—
I have no mother and father now.

I see the pale moon shining
Upon the white headstones—
The rose bush round them twining
Is here like me alone
And just like me is weeping
Those dew drops from the bough
A long time have they been sleeping,
I have no mother and father now.

My heart is every lonely
My life is drear and sad,
'Twas their dear presence only
That made my spirit glad;
From morning until even,
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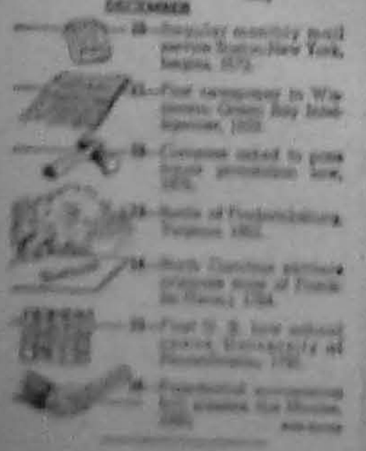

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## *Lobelia News*

**The I. O. O. F. Celebrate**

The Odd Fellows of Lobelia Lodge celebrated Thanksgiving with a chicken dinner, dumplings, mashed potatoes, cole slaw and other nice eats that go to make a nice mess. It was prepared by the famous cook, L. H. Harroff. Odd Fellows' wives were invited.

**Rebekas Celebrate**

Lobelia Rebekah Lodge No. 38 celebrated its 92nd anniversity with a program, followed by singing and eats. A nice crowd was there and the evening was enjoyed by all.

**Personals**

Mr. Milton Vaughn has been ill the past week.

Little Luvene Dean has been very ill with flu and pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Walker's baby is improving.

Melvin Dale Hollandsworth, a/s, was at home for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hollandsworth.

Miss Dejiah Anderson went to Charleston to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs Dale Kinnison.

We are glad to announce Mrs. Dennie Snedegar is improving slowly.

Mrs. R. L. Sizemore was visiting friends and relatives at Renick and Friars Hill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marven Brock and family, also his mother Mrs. Preston Brock, of Rocks, Md., are visiting here.

Mr. Roy Brock and Delbert Ramsey was reported had got a deer.

Miss Marvel Bruffy is staying with Mrs. Gladys Hill, while Mr. Hill is away deer hunting.

For dinner guests at Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morgan were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kinnison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaughn were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Luc Harroff, Sunday.

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**DEDFORD HUNTER McCARTY, ABSENTEE, CAUGHT**

Private Dedford Hunter McCarty, absentee of the U. S. army, A. S. N. 35429115, Co. A, Jackson Barracks, New Orleans, La., was captured last week at the home of his brother, Frank McCarty, near Frost, at 10:15 p. m. by Corpl. W W. Murphy and 1st Sgt. J. W. Wooddell of Elkins. He was taken to Elkins to be turned over to the provost marshal, maneuver area, located in Elkins.

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**DEER HIDES REQUESTED**

Hunters who have deer hides to be turned in for war uses are asked to leave them at A. B. McComb's store at Huntersville, or contact Warden Bob McComb, who will arrange to pick them up.

**COUNTY SOLDIERS WOUNDED**

The war department this week announced a list of 300 West Virginia service men who have been wounded in action. Three were from Pocahontas County, as follows:

Corpl. Roy W. Hall, son of Mrs. J. Hall, of Hillsboro.

Pfc Arthur P Swisher, son of Mrs. Myrtle Swisher, of Cass.

Corpl. George D. Thomas, son of George C. Thompson of Mill Point.

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**SAVE YOUR HOLDERS.**

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—If West Virginia hunters want to be sure of having metal holders next year for their hunting licenses they had better save the ones they now have, Conservation Director Jack Shipman has warned. The commission was able to obtain only part of the number it needed this year, he said, and he believed the situation might be worse next year. If hunters will preserve their present holders for re-use, though, the scarcity problem may be met, he stated. The metal used in the holders is an essential in war industries.

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**LEGION SMOKER**

The American Legion will hold its monthly meeting Monday, December 13, at 8 p. m., in the Young People's club room in Marlinton.

## Preston Educator Will Seek Post of State School Head

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Shaffer was encouraged by the fact that his candidacy will be supported by educators. Representative school people from approimately half of the counties of the state held a caucus during the convention of the State Education Association in Charleston and after considering possible Republican candidates for state superintendent of schools, none of whom were present, unanimously agreed to support and work for the election of Kenneth W. Shaffer.

For his educational training Mr. Shaffer attended a one-room school—six years, graded elementary school, Victory High School, Salem College, A. B. degree—West Virginia University, M. A. degree in educational administration — Columbia University and graduate work—Harvard University.

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**MRS. COOK DIES**

Mrs. Pearl Cook, wife of Hamp Cook, of Seebert, died at Pocahontas Memorial Hospital Sunday, December 5, 1943, after a prolonged illness. Mrs. Cook was born February 28, 1904. She is survived by her husband and several children.

## Deer Season Ends

The deer season ended in Pocahontas County last Saturday with the city numbering several hundred. Deputies of hunters from various sections and it was reported by Conservation Commission representatives who patrolled the area that the number of illegal killings was comparatively small.

Four men from Sissonville were arrested by Wardens Bill Reynolds and Wayne Stalnaker for hunting in closed territory.

Out at Seneca State Forest it was necessary to close the season the first day, when 48 deer were killed, nothing the quota allowed for that section.

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**HUNTING VIOLATIONS**

Four men who were found deer hunting in closed territory near Big Dell, were arrested by Warden W. F. Rexrode. They were taken to Durbin and fines were assessed.

In the Rimel section, Warden Ira Carper arrested a man for hunting deer with buckshot.

A case is pending against five men who participated in the killing or possession of a spiked buck with unbranched horns, in the Dry Branch area. Warrants have been issued for the hunters.

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Think of a cross-section of American life. Now you're getting warm. If ever there was a public property—in the sense of widespread ownership—it's our American railroads.

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Here are the facts about a typical railroad—the Chesapeake and Ohio.

275,083 shares of its stock are owned by colleges, hospitals, churches, charitable institutions and insurance companies.

40,496 of its common stockholders own 50 shares or less. These represent approximately 70 per cent of the total common stockholders.

These people live in every state of the union and in its territories. They come from nearly every walk of life, and include employees of the road, teachers, lawyers, business men, stenographers, farmers, men in the Army and Navy—people who live "just around the corner" from you.

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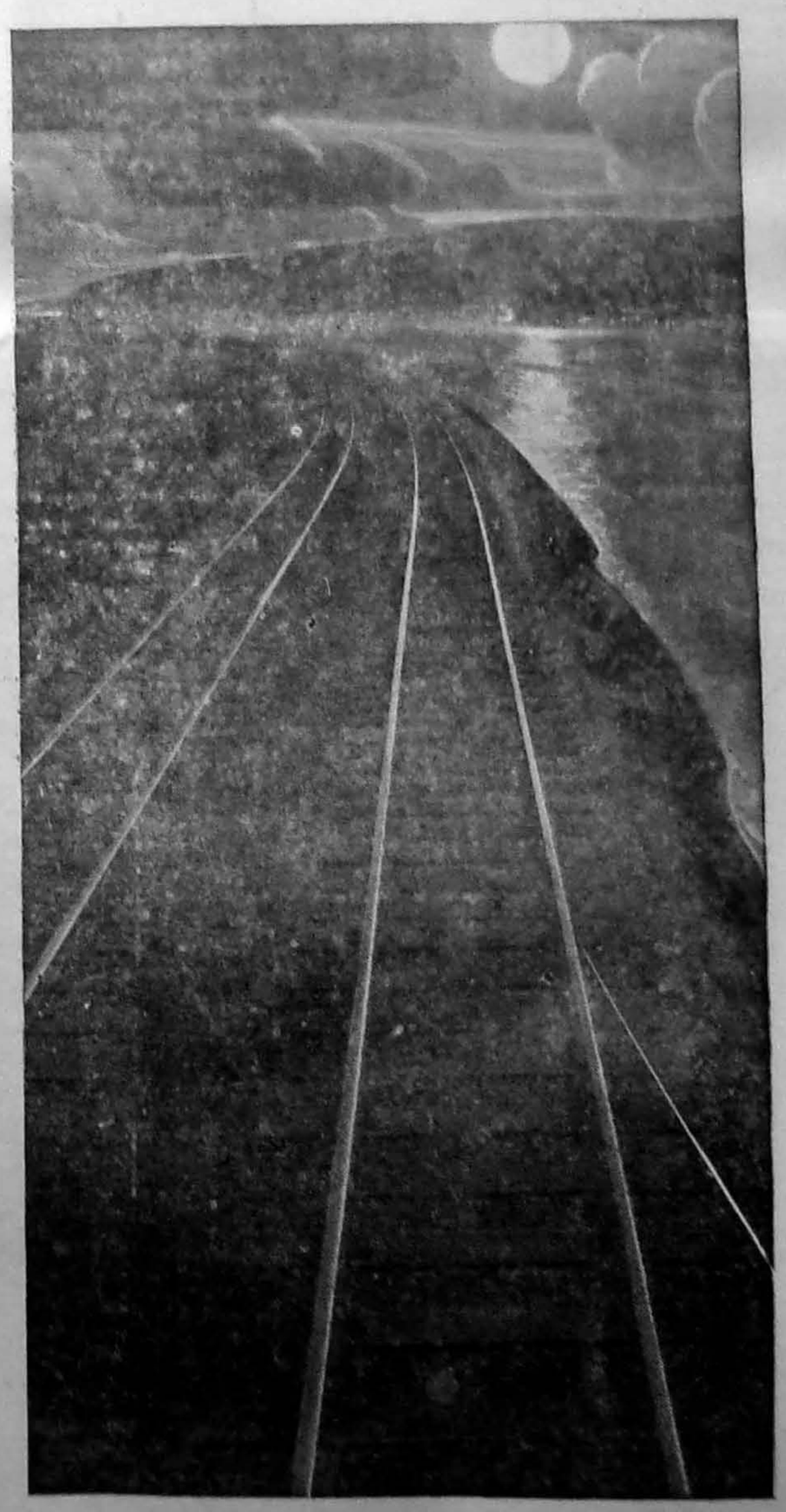
In some countries the people have not been enterprising enough to build and maintain their own railroads. And the government has had to do it for them. With us the citizen and not the state has been the force behind our railroads. We have preferred the progress that comes from free competition to the stagnation that accompanies political patronage and bureaucracy.

This system has worked. In the face of the greatest emergency ever to strike this country, the railroads of America have proved more able than ever before to meet the task imposed on them. With consideration for their welfare in the future, they will meet post-war tasks in the same way.

In short, the railroads could be in no better hands than in the hands of the American people. For they, in the long run, must be served.



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## IT *Impresses* ME

TO WILLYUM,
Exponent Columist,
Angel of the Weeklies,
(and no foolin').

DEAR WILLYUM:

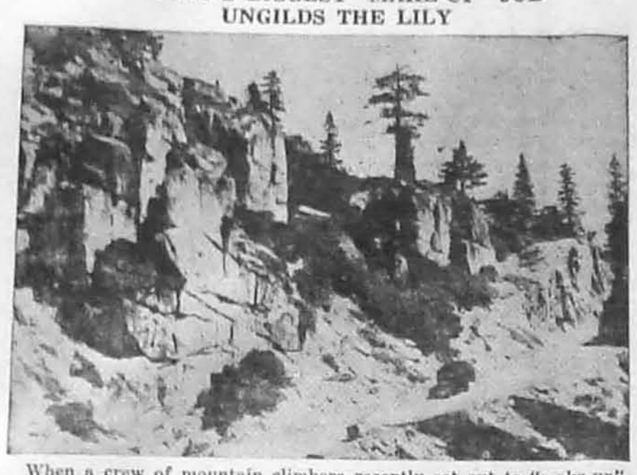
In much of our association you have been like a big brother to me—you know, exemplifyng a sort of "don't do as I do, but as I pay" attitude—and in many of the things you have told me I have discovered the essence of wisdom. Being the husband of a red head yourself, you have obtained a keen insight into many of the experiences which have fallen to my lot. And being something of a wizard linotype keys, you are able to have an intimate knowledge of my present predicament. I enjoyed your recent letter, but I must admit that I found it, in some ways, contradictory. For instance, you told me to "have a good time and convert the Army while you are away." If I should undertake to do the former, Alma would probably try to bring me home; and if I should give my earnest endeavor to the latter effort—it would certainly put a curb on some of the soldiers' present intentions to have a good time. As far as leaving Alma to run the paper is concerned, I have no apprehension on that score—you know her well enough to realize that she has been telling me how to run it for two years now, so she should be able to fall into that role pretty easily. It is true that I don't know just where her fling for political participation may lead her, but having received her early training in this phase under Mrs. Charles Smiley and Miss Cora Archibee, and conducting such dignitaries as Judge Summers Shrap and Hon. H. Ray Waugh around over Harrison County, she should have learned some political tact by now—at least enough to know that politics is one sphere of human life where it is absolutely certain that everyone is not going to agree with you. The only consolation here is that I am leaving her at a time when it bids fair that she will get more agreement on her side of the political fence than she has been used to for many a moon. But there are some who will not agree with that, either, so I guess I better not get involved in it too deeply. We have made an agreement that if either one of us does not like the position into which the war has thrown us, respectively: me, a God-fearing, peace-loving man into the role of a fighter, and Alma, singer on "West Virginia Day" at the Chicago World's Fair, entertainer at state Kiwanis conventions, star of Elks' show, and leader of impromptu singfests at veterans' meetings, into a newspaper operator, that we will not write our woes to each other. Confidentially, that agreement is going to be quite a break for me; though I'll very likely be able to guess enough to do the when I receive my copy of the Journal each week. As to my error into the service, Willyum, you will be able to know and envy the "opportunities" that it brings within reach of a man who has been married for eight on to 17 years. It may bring home the fact that we are fighting this war for liberty, if you see what I mean. After the mental picture of myself in uniform that I have entertained it certainly would be a disappointment now if I should not be accepted. Besides all the other benefits, it will give me a chance to see my home town in new days. I'm now going to trying to be every thing to everybody, Mr. Willyum. Guess I'm attempting too much. But anyway, I'm sure you would be one of Alma's greatest supporters. You know, of course, that I am willing to provide them to get to the wars, and then will surprise you. I have recently smoked a cigarette and have read Thomas Beasley's "The Robbery Report" just to be in the proper mood, so that all the pain would subside, as one who I read through his barrage.

Yr. Humbly,
PRIVATE BUSTER.

### EXCHANGE SCHOOL BOARD

Miss Frances L. E. Mauzy is an exchange teacher, which means that in the country to which Japan has her representative, United States Miss Frances Mauzy returns when the U. S. has made peace in the Pacific.

### WORLD'S BIGGEST "MAKE-UP" JOB UNGILDS THE LILY



When a crew of mountain climbers recently set out to "make-up" 50 square miles of mountains for a movie, they were told their job was to "ungild the lily." The picture was to be taken in technicolor, which emphasizes yellow. The make-up job, therefore, was to subdue the yellow in the cliffs, trees, bushes, flowers and shrubs. Instead of the usual make-up kit of cosmetics, these photographic experts shouldered spray guns filled with Texolite, a paint that is mixed with water, that dries quickly and which can be tinted to any hue desired. They went hiking about, peering through a little spectrum wheel, hunting for whatever looks yellow. Then they would spray it with the proper shade of Texolite.

This gigantic "make-up" job was done in the High Sierras, which were chosen as the location of the picture because it looks so much like the Guadarrama Range in Spain, where the story of Paramount's new picture, "For Whom The Bell Tolls" is centered.

# Funkhouser Announces For Governor

## THE FOLLOWING TELEGRAM WAS RECEIVED TUESDAY

A. E. FERGUSON, The Journal,
Marlinton, West Virginia.

**CHARLESTON, Dec. 19.—At a regular meeting of the Jefferson County Republican Club and in answer to the club chairman, R. J. Funkhouser announced that he would be a candidate for the governorship of West Virginia in 1944. In a spirited speech frequently interrupted by applause of the largest gathering of Jefferson County Republicans witnessed in years, Funkhouser said: "Mr. Link and my friends in Jefferson County, I will answer your question, and in so doing, I serve notice on four men in this state that the Republican party does not owe me anything, but the Republican party does owe our nation and state good clean government, and in the name of the Republican party, I now announce my candidacy for Governor, and solemnly pledge our party to fully discharge its obligations to all the people of our great state. This party is not obligated to any individual as a party. We are neither requested or expected to put some person in office because a small clique wants to maintain itself in power. I say, the Republican party does not owe them or me anything....But we are all very much indebted to our party and all of us would do well if we were more interested in our party and states and less interested in our own personal aggrandizement.**

**"I hope to see this great state firmly and permanently registered to a government directed wholly by the people, not a gang of professional politicians operating behind the scene. Even before I enter the gate that leads to the governorship, wolves in sheep's clothing prove to be real wolves. Four men—three Republicans and one New Dealer—have been threatening me with destructioin. If I even dare to be a candidate they will blackmail me, they will hang me, they will tear me apart limb from limb, they will utterly destroy me, or so they say. Well, I am going to accept their challenge and not only enter the gate to be confronted by these wolves, but I am going all the way unafraid, because the people of West Virginia will be marching with me."**

**Funkhouser listed 13 points on which his platform will be built. ". . . And I close with a note of a Republican sweep in '44."**

**Dennis D. Link, Republican county chairman, then rose to urge the Republicans throughout the state to rally behind Funkhouser as the party's unanimous choice, thereby presenting the strongest of united fronts to the New Deal Democrats in the final election.**

(Signed) DENNIS D. LINK,
Republican Chairman, Jefferson County.

### FRENCH GIRDON FOUND DEAD

French Gibson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gibson, died December 10, that the was born May 1, 1897, and has lived Hillsville. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Lydia Gibson and Miss Elizabeth Gibson.

Mr. Gibson was employed at the Naval Ordnance Plant and had returned to his work Monday morning after spending the weekend with his sisters in Marlinton. The body was found shortly after he returned to work.

### NEW YORK OFFICER

Chas. H. Webb, of Marlinton, assumed the duties of upon patrolman in Hightstown, N. J. on Monday, Mr. Webb, who completed a Civilian course at the grade school training.

# County Farmers Will Receive "A" Awards

Farm families of Pocahontas County will receive the agricultural achievement certificate and flag at a public program to be held in the Alpine Theatre, at 2 P. M. Friday, December 17th, 1943. The awards are presented in recognition of the outstanding food production accomplished by the farmers of Pocahontas County during 1943. This county shares honors with Braxton County in being the two regions selected for this honor in West Virginia.

Friday's program will be as follows:

Star Spangled Banner, Marlinton High School Band.

Invocation, Rev. James C. Wool.

Message, President of the United States.

Music, Marlinton High School Band.

Achievement Awards, J. O. Knapp, director of agricultural extension service.

Pocahontas County Goals, Ben Morgan, county agent.

Contributing to Achievement of Goals:

Agricultural Conservation, Wilbur Moore, chairman AAA.

United States Forest Service, W. L. Maule, district ranger.

Farm Security Administration, Opie C. Lowe, county supervisor.

Farm Credit Administration, Z. S. Smith, Jr., president Farm Loan Association.

Conservation and Repair of Machinery, D. E. Smith, vo-ag instructor, Greenbank High School.

Pocahontas County Farm Women, Mrs. E. L. Cutlip, president Pocahontas County Farm Women's Bureau.

Neighborhood Leaders, Barbara M. Bragg, former home demonstration agent.

Presentation of Agricultural Achievement Certificate, J. Ward Wood, chairman State USDA War Board.

Acceptance of Agricultural Achievement Certificate, Pocahontas County USDA War Board.

Presentation of the Agricultural Achievement Flag, Major J. F. Hudson, United States Army.

Acceptance of the Agricultural Achievement Flag, Pocahontas County USDA War Board.

Music—"America," Marlinton High School Band.

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# Christmas Programs At Local Churches

**METHODIST CHURCH**
**Rev. Fred Oxendale, Pastor**

Sunday morning, December 19th, 11 A. M., sermon by Rev. Fred Oxendale. Special Christmas music directed by Miss Edith May.

Sunday evening, December 19th, 7:30 P. M., the young people of the church will sponsor a candlelight service, featured by Scripture readings and Christmas songs in keeping with the Scripture.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
**Rev. James C. Wool, Pastor**

Sunday morning, December 19th, sermon by the Rev. James C. Wool, and special Christmas music under the direction of Mrs. John Bear.

At 5:00 o'clock on the same day there will be a special program in song and tableau with Miss Peggy Smith in charge.

**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH**
**Rev. O. G. Olsen, Rector**

Christmas Day, Holy Communion at 10 A. M.

Sunday, December 26th, Christmas Carol Service at 11 A. M.

**GRACE CHURCH, Clover Lick**

Sunday, December 19th, Christmas Carol Service at 10 A. M.

Holy Communion at 11 A. M.

Christmas greetings and a hearty welcome to all.

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**O. E. S. PARTY**

The Marlinton Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will hold its Christmas party on December 20th. A short program will follow the regular meeting. Mrs. Ernea Johnson will give readings and there will be a Christmas tree and an exchange of gifts.

# Mower Lumber Company Honors New Manager

More than seven hundred people attended the Christmas party last Tuesday night at the Mower Lumber Company Store in Cass.

The party was to honor H. H. Thompson, the new manager of the store. Mr. Thompson came to Cass from Clarksburg, after sixteen successful years with a large concern there.

Show windows of the store were decorated in Christmas colors with candles burning, and many things from their fine Christmas stock on display. Also in the window was an honor roll in a picture frame, made from the lumber of the Mower Mill, and the splendid pen work of the names had been done by Howard Fulks.

The interior of the store was decorated in keeping with the yuletide season.

At 8 P. M. the program started with Mrs. F. Edwin Mower welcoming the visitors and introducing Mr. Thompson, who acted as master of ceremonies.

The first entertainer was Miss Lena Anderson, who sang "Remember Pearl Harbor," accompanied by Miss Mary Croner. The group joined in singing the "Star-Spangled Banner."

In the amateur contest which followed many persons took part. Catherine Evans and Charlotte Ann Fulks were the prize winners, singing "Pistol Packin' Mama."

Grover Wright was awarded the $100 bond, Beatrice Stewart, colored, the $50 bond, and Donald Meeks the $25 bond. The judges for the contests were Sheriff Ward Hudson and Editor Aubrey Ferguson.

Folks lingered long after the party was concluded, shawing hands and greeting friends from various sections of the county.

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# Answer Call To Country's Service

The office of the Local Board Selective Service announces that the following men have recently qualified for service subect to examination by the Armed Forces Induction Station:

Earl William Van Reenan, Marlinton.
Roscoe Trmble Beverage, Marlinton,
Norman P. Madison, Marlinton.
Harold Hinkle Hulver, Bartow.
Frances Wade Hook, Mill Point.
Howard R. Wilfong, Marlinton.
Argile Chapman Arbogast, Mill Point.
Ralph Dale Coberly, Marlinton.
William Eugene Wright, Beard.
Russell Summers Bussard, Dunmore.
Carl Hunter Gumm, Cass.
Neil Helmick, Bartow.
James Fred Baxter, Marlinton.
Doyle Wilson, Clover Lick.
Marvin Lanty Sharp, Marlinton.
Gilmer Woods Callison, Beard.
Oliver Hevener Tacy, Cass.
Glen Alonso Lambert, Arbovale.
Walter Paris Goode, Beard.
Virgil Price Bowers, Clover Lick.
Richard Neil Sheets, Greenbank
Carl Randolph Murphy, Bartow.
Transfers from other boards:
Harlan Randle Grimes, Marlinton.
Victor Hayes McClure, Beard.
Hnry Garland Hevener, Durbin

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# A & P Employees to Get Added Compensation

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Additional compensation totaling approximately $1,200,000 will be distributed to employees of The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company before Christmas, it was announced today by John A. Hartford, president.

All A & P employees throughout the country with six months or more service will participate in the cash distribution.

The company's employees were voted similar compensation last year.

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**ARBOVALE WSCS MEETS**

The Arbovale WSCS recently met at the home of Miss Lila Grodoff. Mrs. Adolphia Shears was in charge of the program and Miss Grodoff presided at the business meeting. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ray Grodoff.


IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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## Lesson for December 19


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### CHRIST THE FULFILLMENT OF THE LAW

LESSON TEXT—Hebrews 1:1-3; Romans 10:4-10.

GOLDEN TEXT—God . . . hath in these last days spoken unto us by his Son.—Hebrews 1:1,2.

The center of all Christian thinking is the fact that God has revealed Himself to man. This revelation is found in the Bible, for it is the Word of God. That is why the commandments which we have studied in recent weeks speak to us with such authority. They are not the expression of human opinion of how we should live. They are God's command which we are to obey.

The great and final revelation of God and His love was not the written Word—the Bible—but the Living Word—His Son. The coming of Christ is our lesson for next week, on Christmas Sunday. But this week we want to learn a little more of what His coming into the world meant. He was—

**I. God's Last Word** (Heb. 1:1-3).

Through the ages God had been speaking through the prophets, constantly revealing Himself as a God of power, justice, holiness, truth and mercy.

In different ways and at various times (v. 1) He spoke through them, but always there was a pointing forward to the One who should come. Abraham was called out to found the nation (Gen. 12), and Jacob the family or tribe (Gen. 49), in which He should come. He was to be a prophet like Moses (Deut. 18) and of the kingly house of David (II Sam. 7). All the offerings of Leviticus spoke of His priestly service. Isaiah saw Him as both the reigning and the suffering Messiah (Isa. 53).

All this was incomplete until He came; and when He did, He revealed all the glory of God. He made the perfect and final sacrifice for sin, and sat down (His work was finished) at God's right hand (the place of power).

Let us be clear about this: in Christ God's revelation is perfect and complete. We need look for nothing more. The claims of those who appear with a "new light" or some mysterious hidden power are so obviously untrue that we ought not to be at all interested.

But not only is Christ God's final Word, He is—

**II. God's Best Word** (Heb. 1:4-9).

The prophets and their messages thrill our souls and move us to more earnest living. But the Christ is our very life as well as our Redeemer.

The angels are God's messengers—mighty and magnificent beings, superior in their way to man (Ps. 8:5). The early church made too much of angels (as do some groups today), but Protestantism of our day has made too little of them. They are great and powerful beings who minister on our behalf and who are honored in the loyal service they do for God.

But when they stand beside the Son of God, it becomes evident that He holds a place of incomparable glory and majesty. He is the highest revelation of God, the best Word that God could have spoken to needy and sinful humanity.

We do well to think of who Christ is and what He has done. Just in this passage from Hebrews we find that He is the express image of all of God's glory; He is the upholder of all creation; He has the place of honor and power at God's right hand; He is the only begotten of the Father; His throne has been established forever, and so on.

How well nigh unbelievable that this glorious One is also our Saviour. This is stated in verse 3, but is developed in our next point.

**III. God's Saving Word** (Rom. 10:4-10).

If sinful man were only permitted to look on His glory it would be a great privilege, but it would not help him in his desire for holiness and eternal joy. There was a "great gulf fixed" between sinful man and a holy God until the Son of glory became the God-man, when the eternal Word became "flesh and dwelt among us" (Luke 2:14).

Christ as our Saviour is the "end of the law" to the believer (v. 4), not in the sense that He terminates the law by setting it aside, but by completing or fulfilling all of its requirements.

Just so the Christian is set free from the law, not in order that he may disobey it, but that he may keep it in the power and grace which Christ gives him. The Ten Commandments are the law of life for the Christian because he loves the Lord Jesus Christ and wants to obey Him. We do the things which the Decalogue require not to be saved thereby, but because we thereby honor the name of our Saviour.

The unbeliever, struggling under the burden of sin, says, "How can I come to know Him?" and we find the answer in verses 8-10. It is "by faith."

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# EDITORIAL

## WHO WILL MARK YOUR BALLOT IN 1944?

The important charges and counter-charges; the expressed politcal aims and ambitions; the portrayals of avowed character and abilities, and the slurs against them which are fast breaking upon the scene in this state and throughout the nation are portentious of the vast responsibility which faces the individual voters of West Virginia, and in fact all America, in 1944.

The fact that these varied phases of political intrigue are being brought to light almost a year ahead of the time for their final decisions when the men and women voters trek to the polls may be an omen or it may be a real break for the people who must make those decisions.

It is perhaps unusual that so far ahead of a primary or general election so many men are either thrusting themselves, or are being thrusted, into the political spotlight. It is a symptom of the keen edge of political nerves when leaders of both the Democratic and Republican parties, especially in this state, are sparring with each other and with those in their own ranks, or are busy organizing socalled "harmony" groups to advance political campaigns.

Nearly everyone expects two or more factions of the Democratic party in West Virginia to contend for control of major positions; and current public and private exchanges of letters between prominent members of the Republican party would give evidence that the same situation exists within its ranks.

Some of these political starts may, of course, wear themselves out and cease to exist of their own accord. But in the main the situation presents a real challenge to the voting public.

It prompts this editor to ask the question: "WHO WILL MARK YOUR BALLOT IN 1944?"

Shall it be the proponents of a New Deal, a Traditional Democratic Party, a political Colossus, a Republican Old Guard? Or shall it be Joe Smith, American? Of course it will be YOU who makes the mark, but whose hand shall guide the pencil?

Now, as never before, the trend of American life and the demands which are being made upon our citizens is such as to call forth from every common voter a new interest in the political future of the nation. Now, as never before, every man and woman should dedicate himself or herself to a study of men and issues in an effort to develop a competency for marking a ballot. Now, as never before, there is a demand for common people, who hold within their hands the fate of a great country, to separate themselves from party labels, and to think seriously upon the matter of what they desire that fate to be.

This editor is registered as a Republican, and for that he makes no apology; nor would he expect an apology from his neighbor who is registered as a Democrat. But he has yet to see the election where all of the men who filled the pattern of his fancy and belief were on one ticket. He has felt that his constitutional right to pick from either ticket, and to support the men whom he most believed to be right and to do the right, was one of the greatest privileges compatisable to his intelligence and judgment.

There is no doubt that there is an endorsement in American life today which gives evidence of the people's desire for a change upon a major scale. Such a fact is dangerous knowledge because it brings unworthy as well as worthy aspirants to become political candidates. The only safeguard which assures the selection of the worthy and the elimination of the unworthy is an intelligent, alert and informed voting public.

So as for us in advance of the election we see the duties of the politicians but urge the voters to be alert. Begin now to study the men, their records and recommendations. Weigh them in search of an opportunity to find characteristics sufficiently above reproach, the fundamental principles and ideas dependable.

Let us submit ourselves in the interest of the American way of life which has made us a great nation, not to an empire builder who may be far as we are individually capable, we shall make up our own minds, decide our own course of action, and vote for those men whom our own judgment and tuition prompts us to believe are most sincere and able to preserve for us politically what we are striving to save in a military sense

If we do not achieve this, then we have lost our battle—even if we win a war.

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## Dunmore News

### John William Deputy Dies

John William Deputy passed away December 6 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Lavier, at Marlinton, W. Va. His age was 76 years, 7 months and 1 day. He was born in Rockingham County, Virginia. He was united in marriage to Miss Lena McLaughlin 47 years ago. To this union six children were born. They are Robert and Frank, of Huntersville; Ward, of Dunmore; Mrs. Grace Young, of Montgomery, W. Va., Mrs. Anna Mary Self of Greensboro, N. C., and Mrs. Helen Lavier, of Marlinton, W. Va. Nineteen grandchildren alos survive.

Mr. Deputy was a member of the Baxter Presbyterian Church and his funeral was conducted in that church Wednesday afternoon, December 8, by Rev. Wool, of Marlinton, and Rev. Hobart Childs. Burial was in the Dunmore Cemetery.

### Presbyterian Young People Meet

The Young People's Class of the Presbyterian Church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Miller, Thursday night, December 9, at 7:30. Nineteen members and several visitors were present. After the program and business meeting, games were played. The hostess served delicious refreshments.

### Presbyterian Auxiliary Meets

The Ladies of Presbyterian Church met Thursday afternoon, December 9, with Mrs. T. C. Pritchard. The devotional was led by Mrs. Carlon Prichard and the program was in charge of Mrs. S. H. Barlow. Eleven members were present.

### Pesonals

Ms. O. J. Campbell is spending several days in Charleston with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Garber, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Booth, of Charleston, W. Va., spent several days with Mrs. Booth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pritchadr. They returned to Charleston Tuesday, December 14.

Mr. Jimmy Jones is spending several weeks with his daughter, Mrs Corbett Arbogast.

Eldon E. Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Campbell, graduated from Chanute Field Monday, November 29, and was given a commission of 2nd lieutenant. After spending a week at home Lieut. Campbell went to air base at Richmond, Va., Friday, December 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Brown, of Covington, Va., spent the first of this week with the Robert Hiner family.

Miss Marie Galford spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. David Grimes.

Frederick Pritchard, student of University at Morgantown, spent the Thanksgiving holidyas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F .C. Pritchard.

Mrs. James Wilfong is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brock announce the arrival of a daughter at the King's Daughter Hospital at Staunton, Va.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Nottingham on Thursday, November 9, were Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Campbell and Lieut. Eldon E. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and Lieut. Campbell were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hiner on Wednesday, December 8.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hiner were Mrs. Raymond Nottingham and children, Joyce, Charlotte, Russell and Donny.

Business visitors in Cass Saturday, December 11, were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, Cecil Shinsaberry, Twila Shinsaberry, Charles McElwee, Mrs. R. M. Hiner, Jane and Ida Hiner, Estive Campbell, Hudson Taylor and Ernest Bussard.

Mrs. H. H. Mahaffey is a patient in the Marlinton hospital.

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### DESERTER SENTENCED

Virgil Vandevander, of Pocahontas County just over the Pocahontas County line, was sentenced last week for desertion. Vandevander, 24, is reported to have been absent from duty since August 24, 1943. He was taken into custody by state troopers and has been turned over to the proper officials at Elkins.

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## Durbin-Bartow News

The Women's W. S. C. S. held its regular meeting on Thursday, DeVember 9, in the Methodist Church. The meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. H. M. Widney, and consisted of a program and business meeting. The election of officers. The program was in charge of Mrs. Garnet Hoover. The need for Christian Education. Papers were read by Mrs. W. W. Hoover, Miss Ruth Kramer and Mrs. Edith Townsend. Prayer by Mrs. Susie Kramer. Officers elected for the coming year are as follows: President, Mrs., H. M. Widney; vice president, Mrs. Richard Eye; treasurer, Mrs. Bettie Parg; secretary, Mrs. A. E. Burner; secretary missionary service, Mrs. Edith Hoover; secretary social relatione, Mrs. Grace Kisner; secretary student work, Mrs. Louise Spencer; secretary women's and girls work, Mrs. Frona Williams; secretary children's work, Mrs. Mona Hull; secretary literature, Mrs. Ray Roberson; secertary supplies, Mrs. Fred Wimer; secretary spiritual liife, Mrs. Annie Himer; secretary correspondence, Mrs. Worden Rose. After the business meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mis Bessie Frazier and Miss Treston Lambert. Mrs. Widney has been president of the society for thirteen years and has given the society wonderful service.

Word has been reecived by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hoover, of Frank, that their son-in-law, Hugh T. Arthur, has been promoted to captain. He is stationed at Pecos, Texas.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Harper Beverage, of Bartow, that air son, Sgt. Woodrow Beverage, had been slightly wounded in action in Italy.

Corp. Shirley B. Nelson, from Parris Island, N. C., is spending his furlough with Mr. and Mrs. Eston Nelson of Frank.

Adam Hevener and Edna Mae Hevhome of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hevener. In the afternoon they motroed to Huntersville, where they visited the prison farm, and were shown through the prison by one of the guards.

Glen Gragg, who has been ill with quinsy the past week, has retuced to work.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Pritchard left Sunday for Charleston. Their daughter, Mrs. R. R. McNickel, and little daughter, Connie, returned home with them. Mrs. McNickle had spent some time here and at Cass. They were accompanied by Miss Mary Mildred Brown.

Mrs. Elizabeth Welshans, who has spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Groff, of Frank, returned to her home in Montgomery, Pa., on Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Hevener was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall Wilson, on Saturday.

Miss Lucile Simmons, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mannassa Simmons ,of Bartow, for a few days.

Mrs. Marian Simmons, who has been ill with flu, was able to return to work on Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Kramer, of Akron, Ohio, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Susie Kramer, of Frank.

Mrs. Enoch Taylor and daughter are spending some time with Mrs. Floy Collins, while Mr. Taylor is away working.

George Butterbaugh and Jake Mullenix left Thursday for Ohio, where they will be employed.

Sgt. James Davis and wife, of Fort Meade, Md., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Davis, of Frank.

Mrs. Victor Collins, of Frank, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Brown, in Elkins. Mrs. Collins expects to join her husband at Great Lakes, Illinois soon.

Sheriff and Mrs. Ward Hudson, of Arbovale, were visitors in town Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ben Hiner, who spent several weeks in Cumberland, Md., with relatives, has returned home.

Mrs. F. A. Pritchard, Mrs. R. R. McNiche and daughter, Connie, were dinner guests of Mrs. R. B. Summerson the past Thursday.

Joe Compton, of Bluefield, W. Va., visited his father-in-law, Mr. W. H. Moyers, a few days the past week.

Mrs. Miles Flynn and Mrs. Martha Slayton left Tuesday for Millville, Pa., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gary Phans and her daughter, Virginia.

C. E. Flynn, Mrs. John Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hinkle left Thursday for Millville, Pa., to attend the Phans' funeral.

Pvt. Grover Barkley and wife, of New York, Conn., were called home by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Jerry Wimer, of Middle Mountain. He returned to duty Saturday evening.

Miss Zula Barkley, of Baltimore, Md., was here the past week to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs Jerry Wimer.

Miss Hilda Moyers spent the week-end in Elkins with Miss Mary Pennell.

Mrs. Bernice Mullenix has moved her restaurant from the Star Restaurant stand and is now located in the brick building on the upper end of Main Street.

Misses Geneva and Isaac Shifflett, of Glady, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shifflett, the past week.

Mrs. Beulah Yerkey and Mss May Bush ,of the Welmoth Hotel, were business visitors in Elkins Wednesday.

This section was visited Friday night by a terrible wind storm which did considerable damage to the Pocahontas Tanning Co. buildings, and some trees were blown across the road on Cheat Mountain. Electricity was off for seven hours.

Mr. Gilbert De Haven and Miss Mary Baylor were married on December 6, 1943. The young couple are housekeeping in West Durbin.

Sturlie R. Murphy, coxswain in the navy, returned to active duty December 8 ,after spending a seventeen-day furlough with his bride, the former Miss Alice Cassell, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Murphy, at Bartow, W. Va.

Mrs. Edward Stewart, Mrs. Conrad Teter and Mrs. Earlie Murphy were shopping in Elkins, Thursday.

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## Lobelia News

Cottage prayer meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sizemore, Sunday afternoon. The leader was Mrs. Leona Clark. She read the 12th Chapter of Romans and made a splendid talk. These cottage prayer meetings have been a real help this summer to our neighborhood. There were about 55 out this afternoon.

Mr. Guy Dean lost two nice horses last week.

The Lobelia Church is preparing a Christmas program to have in the near future.

Mr. Floyd Sizemore, of Roanoke, spent a few days with his brother, R. L. Sizemore.

Mrs. Georgie Hill was taken to the hospital at Marlinton Friday night and operated on Saturday.

Miss Udora Bruffey was ill the past week.

Lovene Dean is slowly improving from flu an dpneumonia.

Mr. Edward Walker is home with his family. He has been employed in Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cutlip were in Lewisburg Saturday, Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dean, of Williamsburg, were visiting in the home of Mr. Guy Dean, Sunday.

Mr. Crocket Rose is very ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Vaughan were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Scott, Sunday.

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Encore Noodles ... lb pkg 18c
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Sunnyfield Pancake Flour ... 20-oz pkg 7c
Sunnyfield Corn Flakes ... 11-oz pkg 7c
Kellogg's Pep ... pkg 9c
Navy Pea Beans ... lb bag 10c
Sunnyfield Pure Lard ... lb 17c
A-Penn Machine Oil ... btl 9c
Daily Kibbled Biscuit ... 2-lb pkg 16c

FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES
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ICEBERG LETTUCE ... head 13c
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Rolled Oats . . 3 lb pkg. 19c
SUNNYFIELD—QUICK OR REGULAR

P & G Soap . 3 bars 14c
THE WHITE NAPTHA LAUNDRY SOAP

Gauze Tissue . 4 rolls 21c
SOFT AND ABSORBENT

Northern Tissue 6 rolls 27c
SOFT AND SAFE

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